Business Announcements.

WEST POINT STEAM SAW MILLS.

THESE Mills adjoining the P. & O. Company's establishment, at West Point, are now prepared to execute with promptness and on reasonable terms, all orders for sawing and planeing wood, and to undertake contracts for wooden houses, for furniture, carpenter and joiners' work generally, and for supplying Wood-work of every description for Buildings, Ships and Steamers.

These Mills will also shortly be prepared to undertake contracts for sawing logs of Singapore and Manila hardwoods, and every other description of Timber of every size, into boards, planks and scantling.

Apply to the undersigned either personally or by letter

A. D. MITCHELL, *Manager.*

tf 537 Hongkong, 21st March, 1866.

HONGKONG MARKETS.

Sales on the 27th July, 1866.

VENDOR	GOODS SOLD	PRICE	PURCHASER
Walker & Co.	150 pcs. H'ff assorted medium cloth, p.y.	$ 1.7½	Cheong loong
Johnson & Co.	600 pcs. Grey Shirting	3.86	San-kee
Tye-shing-loong	50 bles. Nos. 24-32 Cotton Yarn	143.50	Canton Merchant
Hang-foong	25 bles. Nos. 16-24 do.	200.00	Yut-wo-loong
Wo-kee-loong	100 pcs. White Shirtings	3.07	Shang-tye
do.	40 bles. Tientsin Cotton	22.50	Toong-fat
do.	100 pls. Mussell	6.20	Canton Merchant
Hop-hing	100 pcs 30 yard Drills	4.75	Shanghai Merchant
do.	200 bags Hoyhow brown Sugar	4.60½	Shantung Merchant
do.	100 „ White Sugar	7.10	Shanghai Merchant
do.	100 „ do.	7.25	Shantung Merchant
Yee-wo	300 pls. Potatoe Flour	1.62	Travelling Merchant
Fook-yue-loong	20 boxes Japan Shellfish	49.00	Canton Merchant
Yee-shan-loong	60 bles. Ningpo Cotton	26.30	Travelling Merchant
do.	25 pls. Hams	48.60	do.
Tatstye-hong	320 pls. Siam black Pepper	6.49	Foreign Merchant
Man-shing	600 „ Hoyhow brown Sugar	4.00	Shanghai Merchant
Kwong-shing	350 bags 50-lb Flour	1.40	Travelling Merchant
Nam-cheong	500 pls. Gypsum	1.14	Chinchew Merchant
do.	100 „ Black Sessamum	6.32	Travelling Merchant
Kwong-hing-tye	500 „ Sydney Sandalwood	4.50	do.
Schellhass & Co.	100 bars Small Lead	6.25	On-kee
Landstein & Co.	6,000 pls. Saigon Rice	2.27	Wing-foong

HONGKONG MARKETS. *July 27th, 1866*

RICE Bengal, Cargo No. 1 .... per picul		2.35 a 2.39
„ 2		2.30 a 2.32
„ Siam, common .... „		2.02 a 2.20
„ „ fair .... „		2.25 a 2.30
„ „ white .... „		2.30 a 2.35
„ Manila .... „		2.38 a 2.40
„ Java .... „		2.20 a 2.24
„ Singapore .... „		2.19 a 2.25
„ Saigon .... „		2.18 a 2.25
„ Arracan .... „		2.23 a 2.31
„ Rangoon .... „		2.33 a 2.30
SALTPETRE		7.10
COALS, ADLOAI .... per ton		
„ English steam .... „		16.50
„ American Anthracite .... „		12.40
„ Sydney .... „		9.00 a 9.40
WINDOW GLASS .... per box		2.05 a 2.90
STRAITS PRODUCE &c.,		
RATTANS, STRAITS .... per pcl.		2.80 a 4.00
„ Banjar .... „		4.20 a 4.40
PEPPER White .... „		10.50 a 11.00
„ Black .... „		6.40 a 6.50
BETEL NUT .... „		4.00 a 4.25
SANDAL WOOD Malabar .... „		4.50
„ South Seas .... „		15.00 a 16.00
SAPAN WOOD, Manila .... „		1.40 a 1.60
„ Siam .... „		2.36 a 2.40
		1.38 a 1.40
FLOUR, California, per sack of 50 lbs.		5.50 a 5.60
„ American per barrel of 200 lbs.		2.60 a 2.70
WHEAT, Tientsin .... per pcl.		2.45 a 2.50
„ California		
NATIVE PRODUCE.		
SUGAR, Canton white, 1 a 3 .... per pcl.		8.10 a 8.20
„ Dk. Brown		7.70 a 7.80
„ West Coast, Dk. Brown		5.20 a 2.25
„ Manila, Dry White		6.75 a 7.25
„ Dk. Brown		3.85 a 4.90
„		2.71
CAMPHOR, packed		2.80
PEAS, White		3.80
„ Green		3.00
„ Black		2.56
„ Yellow		15.00 a 30.50
MUSHROOMS, Japan		5.00 a 4.70
SEAWEED, Green		3.20 a 2.80
„ Cut		
MUSSELS, Dry Japan, large		7.50 a 7.75
„ small		6.76
„ Siam large		10.00
„ small		11.00 a 11.25
VERMICELLI		215.00
BEES WAX, Japan		2.30 a 2.40
„ Hankow		6.90 a 7.50
ALUM		3.50 a 3.85
SASSAMUMS, Japan white		
„ Black		

[CA]NTON WATERS.

Vessel & Captain	Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
HONGKONG.				
Stephenson	Brit. bk	452	Rozario & Co	
Christiansen	Dan. bg	317	E. Schellhass & Co	
J. May	Brit. sh	602	Order	
Gaggs	Brit. sh	817	Jardine, Matheson & Co	F't or Charter
Campos	Port. sh	650	J. dos Remedios	
A. Baker	Brit. bk	453	Wm. Pustau & Co	
Black	Brit. sh	694	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Schutt	Siam. bk	549	Chinese	
Head	Brit. bk	250	Boujau, Hubener & Co	Nagasaki
Forbes	Brit. sh	517	Order	
Gerrits	Ham. bk	365	Order	
Schanck	Han. bk	393	Order	
Marello	Brit. bk	491	Reynvaan Brothers & Co	Saigon
Feliciano	Span. bk	234	Reynolds & Co	Manila
Fine	Brit. sh	466	D. Lapraik	F't or Charter
J. Storm	Brit. bk	224	Lammert, Atkinson & Co	
Rous	Fren. bk	601	Landstein & Co	
H. Beleford	Brit. bk	286	John Burd & Co	
M. Penne	Fren. sch	100	Reynvaan Brothers & Co	Repairing
Klein	Brit. sch	415	Aug. Heard & Co	
Gwee	Span. bg	261	Reynolds & Co	F't or Charter
Ballard	Brit. bk	576	Russell & Co	F't or Charter
J. Baker	Brit. sh	1001	Adam Scott & Co	Saigon
Robert	Fren. bk	760	Reynvaan Brothers & Co	
G. Soule	Amer. bk	540	Bosman & Co	San Francisco
Patten	Amer. bk	635	Bosman & Co	
Federsen	Ham. bk	412	Bosman & Co	
Graves	Amer. sh	001	Order	
Munge	Belg. bk	269	Wm. Pustau & Co	Saigon
	Siam. bk	454	Chinese	
Andrew	Siam. sh	601	Chinese	
McClelland	Brit. sh	941	Jardine, Matheson & Co	Whampoa
Eugiere	Siam. sh	860	Chinese	
Andrew	Brit. bk	447	P. & O. S. N. Co	
Owens	Brit. bk	640	Morgan, Lambert & Co	F't or Charter
Rasmussen	Prus. bk	297	Wm. Pustau & Co	
Lucas	Amer. sh	751	Smith, Archer & Co	San Francisco
L. Grde	Ham. bk	490	Aug. Heard & Co	
Fleming	Brit. bk	464	Landstein & Co	
Slaughter	Brit. sh	805	Gibb, Livingston & Co	Bangkok
Doughty	Brit. bk	834	Oxford & Co	For Sale
Santos	Port. sch	118	Wm. Pustau & Co	
Norsberg	Prus. sh	792	Order	
E. Conrey	Amer. sh	547	American Consul	F't or Charter
Richardson	Brit. sh	670	Adam Scott & Co	F't or Charter
Young	Brit. bk	278	Dent & Co	
Rowe	Brit. bk	775	Wm. Pustau & Co	Bombay
Paver	Brit. sh	671	Alf. Wilkinson & Co	
Scott	Brit. bk	1001	Borneo Co. Limited	
Otto	Dut. sh	125	Siemssen & Co	
J. Drummond	Brit. sh	1065	Order	Nagasaki
Potter	Brit. sh	610	Dent & Co	Store Ship
	Brit. bk	291	McEwen & Co	
WHAMPOA.				
Thomson	Brit. bk	377	Borneo Co. Limited	Monte Video
Culman	Ham. sch	148	Oxford & Co	Tientsin
Thompson	Brit. sh	771	Gibb, Livingston & Co	Union Dock
Drewis	Ham. bk	353	Siemssen & Co	Saigon
Frederick	Brit. sh	604	Gilman & Co	
McTaggart	Brit. sh	870	Smith, Kennedy & Co	Laid up
Johnson	Brit. sh	635	Oxford & Co	
Dirken	Dut. sh	1154	Dent & Co	Tientsin
Holdt	Prus. bk	240	Oxford & Co	
Paige	Brit. sh	732	Gibb, Livingston & Co	London
Francke	Brit. sh	358	Johnson & Co	Laid up
	Brit. sch	106	Adam Scott & Co	London
Clemens	Brit. bk	395	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
MACAO.				
		405	Order	Laid up
J. Nissen	Brit. sh	499	L. M. del Rio	Laid up
		352	Do Mello	Laid up
		225	Reynolds & Co	Callao
		877	Adam Scott & Co	
		111	B. S. Fernandez	Laid up
		200	M. del Rio	
		256	Captain	Laid up
		211	Gibb, Livingston & Co	
		423	Portario & Co	Laid up
Landor	Port. bk	371	L. Marquez	Laid up
CANTON.				
Muller	Ham. str.	642	Siemssen & Co	N'po & Shanghai
	Brit. str		Order	

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Arrivals.

July 28, YOKOHAMA, French sh., 800, Blonet, Saigon, 15th July General.—ORDER.

July 28, HARKAWAY, Brit. sh., 900, Cottier, Calcutta, 30th June, General.—PARSEES.

July 28, 28, METIS, Hamb. sh., 613, Nicholson, Singapore, 15th July, General.—SIEMSSEN & Co.

July 29, QUEEN OF ENGLAND, Siam. sh., 546, Hoffman, Bangkok, 14th July, Rice.—SIEMSSEN & Co.

July 29, J. ORIFFA, Hamb. bq., 443, Peterson, Saigon, 19th July, Rice, and Fish.—WM. PUSTAU & Co.

July 29, COSTA RICA, Hamb. bq., 342, W. Wunderlich, Hamburg, 23th March, General.—SIEMSSEN & Co.

July 29, BEAUTIFUL STAR, Brit. sh., 552, J. Lees, Sunderland, 19th March, Coals.—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

July 29, GLENDOVEER, Brit. bq., 485, Knowles, Aberdeen—Docks, General.—...

July 29, COREA, Brit. str., 648, Russell, Shanghai, 25th July, General.—JARDINE, & Co.

July 29, INVINCIBLE, Brit. sh., 657, Beeching, London, 26th April, General.—GILMAN & Co.

July 30, CAMBODGE, French str., 1660, Der Bovis, Suez, 1st July, Aden, 7th, Galle, 16th, Singapore, 22nd, and Saigon, 26th. Mails and General.—MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.

Departures.

July 29, BENARES, str., for Bombay, &c.
July 29, REINDEER, for Whampoa.
July 29, COSTA RICA, for Bangkok.
July 29, UNDINE, str., for Swatow.
July 29, AMAZONE, for Tientsin.
July 29, ALBIS, for Chefoo.
July 29, JOHN BRIGHT, str., for Singapore.
July 29, ADELHEID, for Newchwang.

Clearances.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, JULY 28TH, 1866.

Bengfu tor, for Yokohama.

Passengers.

Arrived.

Per "*Cambodge*" French mail str.,

For Hongkong.

From Marseilles.—Messrs. Theurel, Vogt, Canevari, Villion, Ambruster, Beaujan, Lindau, Wellmann, Billaut, Schoemaker, Tacagué, Tomay, Nord, Paul Trinch. From Suez.—Mr. Erigari. From Calcutta.—Mr. Wyttembach. From Singapore.—12 Chinese. From Saigon.—20 Chinese.

For Shanghai.

From Marseilles.—Messrs. Monnier, Korthals, Mrs. Lindegard, Mr. Anbagen, Mr. Assen, and Auvergne.

For Yokohama.

From Marseilles.—Messrs. Jubin, Schnell, Dell Orti, and Fondra.

Per "*Metis*" from Singapore.
Mr. and Mrs. Herdon and 80 Chinese.

Per "*Corea*" str., from Shanghai.
Mr. Chichester and 150 Chinese.

Departed.

Per "*Benares*" mail str.,

FOR SOUTHAMPTON.—Captains M. Bosustoh, Von Bargen, Van Selfhood, Messrs. Gibb, J. Logan, J. W. Page, Olioc.

FOR MARSEILLES.—Messrs. H. E. Amcore, D. Lapraik, Hall, Pavia, Barba, Camachii, Sherar, J. S. Bautista.

FOR GIBRALTAR.—Mr. Otheate.

FOR BOMBAY.—Messrs. H. D. Cartwright, A. Stewart, J. G. Ronald.

FOR SYDNEY.—Mr. Phillips.

Reports.

The Siamese ship *Queen of England* reports having had s. w. winds about 12 hours after leaving Bangkok then it viered to the Northward and Eastward experienced very light winds, till off Piedra Branca, then squalley weather and rain, last night a very heavy squall struck the ship which blew the main topsail clean off the yard and the vessel lay on her beam ends for 30 minutes; from thence squalley weather and rain till the arrival.

The Hamburg barque *J. Oliffa* reports having had light s. w. winds till Pulo Sapata, then variable winds with incessant rain the Hamburg barque Madeira which left Hongkong, July 8th, arrived at Saigon on the 18th instant, she reports having made a very quick passage from Hongkong to Saigon in this time of the year, and wishes to be reported.

The Hamburg ship *Metis* reports having had calms and light easterly winds the entire passage. Spoke no vessels.

The British steamer *Corea* reports having had light variable winds and squally weather on passage down. Saw steamers *Singapore* and *Hartford* off Woosung. *Dumbarton* off Pakeshan. *Yesso* and *Fei-ong* China Bay and *Ganges* off Single Island.

The British ship *Invincible* reports having left the Downs April 28th had fine weather and N. to E. winds until crossing the line May 20th, had very light S. E. trades. Passed Meridian of Cape June 12th in lat. 41 s. from thence had a succession of gales until passing St. Paul June 26th. When got the S.E. trades so far to eastward, that could barely fetch Anjer; passed the Straits July 15th up the China sea had moderate south to S.E. winds and fine weather. Spoke British bark *Agincourt* May 23rd, in lat. 8 s., long. 28 w., from Southampton to Hongkong, 15 days out. June 9th, British barque *Cora Lynn* from Sunderland to Hongkong, 46 days out, in lat. 40 s., long. 4 E. and in Java sea July 16th the British ship *China* from Newport to Shanghai, 106 days out.

Auction Sales To-day.

BOWRA & Co.
H.M.S. "COROMANDEL."

THOS HUNT & Co.
Sundry Articles.

SHARP & Co.
Land.

NOTICE.

MR. FREDERICK MAJOR, is authorized to sign our firm at this Port per procuration.

ALFRED WILKINSON & Co.

tf 618 Hongkong, 4th April, 1866.

NOTICE.

COMMERCIAL BILLIARD ROOMS.

THE Undersigned in returning thanks to his Friends and the Public in general for the liberal patronage bestowed upon him, begs to inform all his patrons that he has this day disposed of his business to Mr. FREDERICK SIMONS, and hopes that they will extend their kind patronage upon him as heretofore.

E. J. MANNING.

Hongkong, 1st April, 1866. Apl. 13

IN reference to the above F. SIMONS begs to inform his Friends and the Public in general that he has this day assumed the Proprietorship of the above establishment, and hopes that by care and attention he will merit a share of their kind patronage.

F. SIMONS.

N.B.—Billiard Tables and Cues kept in thorough repair, one first class American Piano in the sitting Room for the use of Visitors. English and American Papers received by every Mail.

F. S.

tf 717 Hongkong 13th April, 1866.

Banks.

THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.

Paid-up Capital, £1,500,000.
RESERVED FUND, £444,000.

Court of Directors.

Harry George Gordon, Esq., Chairman.
William Scott Binny, Esq., Deputy-Chairman.
James Blyth, Esq.
John Lewis Bonhote, Esq.
William Walter Cargill, Esq.
Alexander Mackenzie, Esq.
Eestock Robert Reid, Esq.
Patrick F. Robertson, Esq.
Charles J. F. Stuart, Chief Manager.
Patrick Campbell, Sub-Manager.

Bankers.
Bank of England.
Union Bank of London.

Agents in Scotland.
National Bank of Scotland.
Commercial Bank of Scotland.
Dundas Cay, 24, St. Andrew Square Edinburgh.

Agents in Ireland.
Provincial Bank of Ireland.
The National Bank.

Head Office.
Threadneedle Street, London E.C.

HONGKONG BRANCH.

Banking.

The Corporation receive money on deposit repayable on demand, upon which no interest is allowed.

They also receive money on fixed deposit repayable at twelve months' notice, upon which interest at five per cent. per annum is allowed.

They discount Bills and Notes payable in Hongkong, having at least two approved names unconnected in general partnership; and they make advances upon bullion and goods not of a perishable nature, in the custody of the Bank.

Exchange.

The Corporation issue Drafts on the Bank of England payable on demand, and on the Union Bank of London payable at Six months' sight; and they grant Circular Notes for the use of travellers, negotiable in all towns of importance throughout the world.

They also issue Drafts on the Agencies and Branches of the Corporation at Shanghai, Yokohama, Bombay, Calcutta, Ceylon, Madras, Mauritius, Melbourne, Singapore, and Sydney, at the exchange of the day.

Bills payable in Europe or in any of the above places are purchased or remitted for collection.

Information as to the rules of business may be had at the Office, or on application by letter to the Manager.

Office hours 10 to 3, Saturday, 10 to 1.

J. McDOUALL, *Manager.*

tf 1162 Hongkong, 18th April 1865.

THE ASIATIC BANKING CORPORATION.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.
AUTHORISED CAPITAL,—£2,000,000.
PAID UP CAPITAL,—£750,000.
RESERVED FUND,—£87,500.
HEAD OFFICE—NO. 4, LOMBARD STREET, LONDON.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

F. BOYKETT, Esq., *Chairman*, (late Messrs. Timothy Wiggin & Co., London; now The London, Asiatic, and American Company, Limited.)

J. A. RUSSELL, Esq., *Deputy-Chairman*, (late Messrs. Grey and Coles, London and Grey & Co., Bombay; now The London, Asiatic, and American Company, Limited.)

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MICHAEL H. SCOTT, Esq., (Messrs. Finlay, Campbell & Co., London; and Ritchie Steuart & Co., Bombay.)

General Manager.
A. MORRISON, Esq. (at present in Bombay.)

Acting General Manager,
F. W. LAWRENCE, Esq.

Sub-Manager.
GEORGE MUUL, Esq.

Bankers. THE BANK OF ENGLAND. THE LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK.

Agents in Scotland.—The British Linen Co.
Agents in Ireland.—The National Bank.
Brokers.—Messrs. Foster and Braithwaite.
Solicitors.—Messrs. Freshfields and Newman.
Auditors.—Messrs. Coleman, Turquand, Youngs & Co.

Agencies and Branches of the Bank have been established at Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Ceylon, Melbourne, Hongkong and Shanghai.

COMMITTEE IN BOMBAY.

ROBERT HANNAY, Esq., (late Messrs. Grey & Co., now the London, Asiatic, and American Company, Limited.

COWASJEE JEHANGHIER, Esq.

HONGKONG BRANCH.

The Corporation receive Money for fixed periods at rates of Interest which may be ascertained on application at the Office. Current accounts are kept on which no Interest is allowed; and no charge is made for collecting Bills, Cheques, &c.

They grant Drafts on the London Joint Stock Bank, and Bank of England; also on the Head Office in London, and Branches and Agencies as above; issue Circular Notes payable in any of the chief cities of the world, negociate Bills of Exchange, issue Letters of Credit, discount Local Bills, advance Money on approved securities, and conduct every description of Banking business connected with the East.

Further information as to the Rules of business may be obtained on application at the Office.

JAMES GREIG, *Manager.*

No. 31 Queen's Road.

tf 406 Hongkong, 1st June, 1866.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAE BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.

Subscribed Capital—5,000,000 of Dollars.

Court of Directors:—

Chairman—Hon. JOHN DENT, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—WOLDEMAR NISSEN, Esq.

Albt. F. Heard, Esq.	Pallonjee Framjee, Esq.
Geo. J. Helland, Esq.	Arthur Sassoon, Esq.
Douglas Lapraik, Esq.	Caleb T. Smith, Esq.
Henry B. Lemann, Esq.	Hon. Thos Sutherland, Esq.
Geo. F. Maclean, Esq.	W. H. Wood, Esq.

Managers:—
Hongkong—Victor Kresser, Esq.
Shanghae—David McLean, Esq.
London Bankers—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED

On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits:—

For 3 months 3 per cent. per annum.
„ 6 „ 5 „ „
„ 12 „ 6 „ „

In addition to the above fixed rates of interest the Company has adopted the principle of setting aside a certain portion of its yearly profits to be given as a bonus on the balances employed by the Bank. Customers keeping Current Accounts and Depositors will participate equally in respect of such Bonus, whether shareholders in the Company or not.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

VICTOR KRESSER, *Manager.*

Offices of the Company,
Wardley House, No. 1, Queen's Road.

March 3, 1865. tf 929

Banks.

CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON, & CHINA.
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.

Capital paid-up £750,000.
With power to increase to £1,500,000.
Reserved Fund, £250,000.
Head-Office—No. 52, Threadneedle Street, London, E.C.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

George Garden Nicol, Esq.—*Chairman.*

Doneed Larnock, Esq.	Ellis James Gilman, Esq.
George May, Esq.	David Trail Robertson Esq.
Sir Frederick J. Halliday.	ex Officio
James M. Robertson, Esq.	

David Trail Robertson, Esq.—*Chief Manager.*
William Beattie, Esq.—*Assistant Manager.*
Walter Ormiston, Esq.—*Secretary.*
William Jackson, Esq.—*Inspector of Branches and Agencies.*

LONDON BANKERS.
Bank of England.
London Joint Stock Bank.

SOLICITORS.
Messrs. Clarke, Sons, & Rawlins, Coleman St.

AUDITORS.
Messrs. Coleman, Turquand, Youngs & Co., Public Accountants.
J. Smith, Esq., of Messrs W. Nicol & Co., Bombay.
James Joseph Mackenzie, Esq., late of Messrs. Dent & Co., China.

Branches and Agencies.
Bombay
Calcutta
Madras
Ceylon { Colombo, Kandy, Galle
Singapore
Penang
Shanghai
Yokohama
Hankow
Mauritius
Saigon
Batavia

EDINBURGH DEPOSIT AGENCY,
128, George Street.
CHARLES PEARSON, ESQR., C.A.—Agent.

HONGKONG BRANCH.

Current deposits.—Accounts are kept on which no interest is allowed, and no charge made for collecting Bills, Cheques, &c.

Fixed deposits.—Are received, viz:—
Repayable at 12 months......6% per annum.
„ at 6 „ ......5% per annum.

The Bank discounts Local Bills, and Notes payable in Hongkong having at least two approved names unconnected in general partnership, and makes advances on approved Banking Securities.

Exchange.

The Bank issues drafts on its London Office, and on the London Joint Stock Bank at six months' sight, also on its Branches above; and Agents in Scotland, Ireland, Melbourne, Sydney, and towns in Australia, New Zealand, &c., and grants Circular Notes for the use of travellers negotiable in all towns of importance throughout the world.

Bills payable in Europe or in any of the above mentioned places are purchased or remitted for collection.

Further information as to the rules of business may be obtained at the office, or on application by letter to the manager.

Office hours:—10 to 3, Saturdays 10 to 1.

EDWARD ARTHUR, *Manager.*

2, Queen's Road, 5 March, 1866.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAE BANKING COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the terms of the Resolution passed at the Special Meeting of Proprietors on the 3rd inst. the new scrip certificates for 20,000 paid up shares, of $125 each, will be ready for delivery on and after the 16th April in exchange for the scrip at present held by Proprietors.

It is further intimated that on the above date Registered Proprietors, will on their application, be provided with a certificate stating them the number of new shares to which they will be entitled under the said Resolution of the Special Meeting of 3rd March.

V. KRESSER, *Manager.*

tf 472 Hongkong, 10th March, 1866.

BANK OF HINDUSTAN, CHINA, AND JAPAN, (LIMITED.)

HONGKONG BRANCH.

INTEREST on CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS will be allowed, from and after this date, until further notice, *at the rate of 2 per cent* per annum, on all daily balances not exceeding $15,000; but special arrangements may be made if desired, for balances above that amount.

Interest will be allowed on Fixed Deposits of money at the following rates, viz:—

For 3 months certain at 4½ per cent. per annum,
„ 2 do. do. „ 4 do. do.
„ 1 do. do. „ 3½ do. do.
and for longer periods according to arrangement.

ARCHIBALD STEWART, Manager.

tf 279 Hongkong, 10th February, 1866.

THE BANK of HINDUSTAN, CHINA and JAPAN (Limited).

Capital, £4,000,000 Sterling.
In 40,000 Shares of £100 each
of which, only £25 is to be called up,
Subscribed, £3,690,100.
Paid up, £895,052.

Head Office: No. 1 Bank Buildings, E.C. London.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

William F. Allen, Esq., Alderman.	James Levick, Esq.
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Philip Share Fletcher, Esq.	Richard Spooner, Esq.
William Harrison, Esq.	Philip Vanderbyl, Esq.
	Henry Young, Esq.

GENERAL MANAGER.—John Ouseley, Esq.
Secretary.—R. Swire Tomlin, Esq.

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DIRECTORS.

William Forbes, Esq., of Medwyn.
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John A. Macrae, Esq., W.S., 30, Frederick Street, Agent.

BANKERS.
The Bank of England.
The National Bank. The Alliance Bank.

Agents.
In Scotland, The National Bank of Scotland.
In Ireland, The National Bank of Ireland.

Branches and Agencies.
Bombay, Calcutta, Colombo, Kandy, Shanghai, Yokohama, Singapore, Point de Galle, Manila, Foochow, Ningpo, Hankow, Nagasaki, and Kiukiang.

Banking.

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS are kept, and interest allowed, until further notice, at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on all daily balances not exceeding $15,000; but special arrangements may be made, if desired, for balances above that amount.

Fixed Deposits of money will be received at the following rates of Interest, viz.,
For 3 months certain at 4½ per cent per Annum
„ 2 do. do. „ 4 do. do.
„ 1 do. do. „ 3½ do. do.
and for longer periods according to arrangement.

Approved Local Bills are discounted and Advances made upon Bullion and Goods not of a perishable nature.

Exchange.

The Bank purchases Bills on Europe, India, China, Japan and Australia, and issues Drafts on England on the Bank of England, the National Bank, and the Alliance Bank, Limited; and on the various Branches and Agencies of the Bank in India, China Japan and Australia, at the current rates of the day.

Office Hours 10 to 3, Saturday, 10 to 1.

Any further information can be obtained on application to the Manager.

ARCHIBALD STEWART, *Manager.*

tf 2064 Hongkong, 24th July, 1866.

Auctions.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from R.F. HAWKE, Esq., Acting Naval Storekeeper, to sell by Public Auction,

THIS DAY,

the 30th instant, at 11 A.M., at the Naval Yard,

H. M. Paddle Steam-Vessel

"*COROMANDEL.*"

This vessel is lying off the Dock Yard, and may be inspected on and after Monday next, the 9th inst.

TERMS OF SALE.

One-third of the purchase money, in Mexican dollars at 7.1.7., to be paid at the time of sale; and the remainder within one week after; failing which, the money paid will be forfeited.

The Vessel to be at the risk of the purchaser from the fall of the hammer.

Further particulars can be obtained on application at the Naval Storekeeper's Office.

BOWRA & Co., *Auctioneers.*

1416 Hongkong, 4th July, 1866.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

THIS DAY,

the 30th day of July, 1866, at Noon,

AT MESSRS. P. & A. CAMAJEE'S, *Godowns, Wanchi.*

For Account of whom it may concern the following cargo:—

ex Brig "MUSIC."
(Damaged by sea water)

211	Packages	MATTING
213	„	FIRE CRACKERS
222	„	TEAS
6	„	CASSIA BUDS
10	„	STAR ANISEED
4	Boxes	GINGER
1	„	SHOES
7	„	TRUNKS
2	„	INSECTS
1	„	FANS
10	„	JOSS STICKS
3	Packages	CASSIA
1	Bale	Waste Silk.
8	„	GUNNY BAGS

TERMS OF SALE,—Cash before delivery payable in Mexican dollars, weighed at 7.1.7.

THOS. HUNT & Co. *Auctioneers.*

1608 Hongkong, 27th July, 1866.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned are instructed to sell by Public Auction, by order of the Mortgagee,

THIS DAY,

the 30th July, at 5 o'clock P.M.

ON THE GROUND.

Section A of INLAND LOT No. 407, measuring North 29 feet, South 30 feet, East 66 feet, and West 60 feet, and situated immediately opposite the Government Market, in Market street, Taiping-shan.

Together with the substantial BUILDINGS thereon erected. Crown Rent $7 per annum.

TERMS.—One third of the purchase money to be paid on fall of the hammer, and balance on completion of the transfer.

For Further particulars, apply to

EDMUND SHARP, Esq., *Solicitor*

or to SHARP & Co., *Auctioneers and Factors of Land, Houses and Estates.*

1546 Hongkong, 21st July, 1866.

BOWRA & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

TO-MORROW,

the 31st July, 1866.—At Noon,

On the premises,

No. 1, Landstown Terrace, Aberdeen Street,

ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising Drawing Room, Dining Room, and Bed Room Suites, Mirrors, Lamps, Chandeliers, &c., &c., &c.

Further particulars in Catalogues.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

All Lots as soon as knocked down to be at Purchasers' Risk, and to be positively cleared on the same day.

1580 Hongkong, 24th July, 1866.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned is instructed to sell by Public Auction on

THURSDAY,

the 2nd August, next,—at 5 o'Clock P.M.

ON THE SPOT.

All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND registered in the Land Office, as section A of Inland Lot No. 408, measuring North 32½ feet, South 31½ feet, East 51 feet, and West 52 feet; situated in the Corner of Hollywood Road and Elgin Street, next to Mr. Norowjee's, together with the buildings thereon erected, and its appurtenance, subject to a Lease of the premises which will expire on the 31st day of December next.

Crown rent £3. 2s. 6d. per annum.

TERMS.—One half of the purchase money, in Mexican Dollars at 7.1.7., to be paid at the time of sale, and the remainder within one week after, failing which the purchase money paid shall be forfeited and the sale cancelled. All the expenses of transfer to be born by the purchaser, and the property to be at the risk of the purchasers from the fall of the hammer.

For further particular apply to,

H. N. MODY, *Auctioneer.*

1607 Hongkong, 27th July, 1866.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

BOWRA & Co. have received instructions from S. Speechly, Esq., to sell by Auction, on

FRIDAY

the 10th August, 1866, at Noon

on board The Well-known steamer "FIWAN" as she now lies in the Harbor, off East Point.

This Handsome Vessel is built of Steel

Length over all 130 feet
Breadth of Beam 18.6 „
Diameter of wheel 20 „
Horse Power 100 „

Consumption of Coal 8 tons in 24 hours. Carries 100 tons. Cargo on 5 feet draught of water.

Diameter of Cylinder 3 feet
Length of Stroke 6 „

Wrought Iron Shaft and Cranks.—

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican dollars, weighed at 7.1.7.

The Vessel as soon as knocked down is at Purchaser's risk; said Purchaser to pay all expenses of Transfer—&c., &c.

1607 Hongkong, 27th July, 1866.

BOWRA & Co. have received instructions to offer for sale by Public Auction, on a day hereafter to be named (unless disposed of by Private Sale.)

The INSTRUMENTS and MUSIC, belonging to the Band of the late Hongkong Volunteers.

These Instruments are nearly new, and manufactured by the well-known firm of Boosey & Co., expressly for the corps.

Regimental Bandmasters, or Parties wishing to organize a Public Band, are informed that there are a sufficient number of Instruments for thirty men.

Application to view may be made to

H. J. H. TRIPP,
Late Capt. and Adjt. H.K.V.

tf 1452 Hongkong, 9th July, 1866.

FOR SALE.
REAL ESTATE IN FOOCHOW.

ALL THE VALUABLE PROPERTY with the Buildings thereon, known as the Tuck-Wo-Hong, lately occupied by Messrs. C. NATHABHOY SONS Co., situated on the North Bank of the River Min, above the Bridge, possessing a water frontage of 120 feet, and extending back 260 feet:—

The Buildings erected on this property consist of

First—A private DWELLING HOUSE containing five rooms; and on the ground floor Compradore's Office, Opium Room, Servants' Rooms, &c., &c.

Second—A large GODOWN of two Stories, measuring 60 feet by 60 feet. The flooring of the Godown is raised from the ground, and it is dry and well lighted.

Also the property on the South side of the River, inland. Consisting of the Building at present occupied as an office by the Commercial Bank, which is admirably adapted for business purposes. Also the House adjoining, known as the old Custom House, containing six Rooms, with servants' quarters below.

For particulars apply to RUSSELL & Co.

3m 1384 Hongkong, 2nd July, 1866.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
General Weekly Sale.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. will sell by Public Auction,

TO-MORROW,

the 31st July, at Noon,

at their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road Central

An INVOICE of STATIONERY.

Just landed from England, consisting of Blue and White Letter and Overland Paper, Note Paper of different colours and dimensions, Blue and White Foolscap, Ruled Foolscap and Letter Paper, Tissue Paper, Brown Paper, Envelopes of sizes.

12 Bales PRINTING PAPER of different dimensions.

An Invoice of TRAVELLING DESKS, Necessary Dressing Cases Pocket Books, Call-bells, Gilt Mirrors, Springtapes, Footrules, Purses and Ladies Bags, Thermometers, Corkscrews of different descriptions.

An Invoice of BRITANNIA METAL Table and Tea Spoons, Soupladles, Tea and Coffeepots, &c., &c.

An Invoice of CUTLERY, consisting of Ivory Handled Table and Dessert Knives and Sets of Carvers, Butchers', Sailors' and Cooks' Knives, Penknives and Pocket Knives of great variety, Scissors, Ivory Pencils with Knives, &c., &c.

An Invoice of BRUSHWARE as Cloth, Hair Shoe, Nail and Tooth Brushes.

10 Cases Assorted CONFECTIONERY.
5 „ CHEESE.
20 Chests MOSELLES.
150 Cases BRANDY.
25 „ CHAMPAGNE.
15 „ ORANGE BITTERS.

MUSKETS, PISTOLS, REVOLVERS, and a variety of other goods.

Also,

A Handsome GREY HORSE.

TERMS OF SALE,—Cash on delivery in Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

1620 Hongkong, 30th July, 1866.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

BY Order of O. H. PERRY, Esquire, United States' Consul for Canton, the Undersigned will sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY,

the 1st August 1866,—At 11 A.M.

At the Consulate of the United States, Canton,

The PHOTOGRAPHIC INSTRUMENTS, Chemicals, and effects of the estate of the late SYLVESTER DUTTON, viz.:—

1 large CAMERA & LENS (4 inches glass), superior article.

1 CAMERA & LENS (5 inches glass).

2 small CAMERAS & LENSES
PHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS
ASSORTED CHEMICALS
PICTURE CASES, FRAMES, and CARDS.
NEGATIVES
PICTURES and PORTRAITS
&c., &c., &c.

The above will be on view on Tuesday, the 31st Instant.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.7. The goods to be at purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer, and to be taken delivery of with the least possible delay.

A. DUNCAN, *Auctioneer.*

1590 Canton, 25th July, 1866.

SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL, HONGKONG.

TRUSTEES.

HONORABLE JAMES WHITTALL, Esq.
HONORABLE T. W. MERCER, Esq.
A. F. HEARD, Esq.
W. R. DALZIEL, Esq., Acting Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. Company, (ex officio.)
Resident Surgeon—WM. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D.
Treasurer—H. G. JAMES, Esq.

The Trustees of this Institution have much pleasure in informing the community of this colony and all connected with the mercantile marine, that the New Hospital is now completed and ready for the reception of Patients.

SCALE OF CHARGES.

1st Class (private room) per day..........$3.00
2nd „ (2 beds in each room)..........2.00
3rd „ (Public Wards)..........1.00

These charges are inclusive of all medicines, but exclusive of wines, private washing, or articles not the recognised dietary in table, which may be ordered by the Surgeon, and will be charged for as extras.

By order of the Trustees,

H. G. JAMES, *Treasurer.*

6m 1120 East Point, 1st June, 1866.

NOTICE.

WE have this day Removed our BUSINESS PREMISES to No. 1, Bay View, opposite the German Club House.

PARKER & Co.

7d 1519 Hongkong, 26th July, 1866.

WEED BROTHERS
PHOTOGRAPHERS.
(*Opposite the "Daily Press," Office*)

Those wishing first class PHOTOGRAPHS that are permanent, will find it to their advantage to give us a call.

tf 479 Hongkong, 13th March, 1866.

NOW READY.

THE CHINESE CLASSICS, Vol. III., In Two Parts. Price, $12. Being the Shoo King, or Book of Historical Documents, with a Translation Prolegomena, &c. By JAMES LEGGE D.D., of the London Missionary Society.

tf 2550 Hongkong, 1st November, 1865.

WE have authorized Mr. F. SORNSEN to sign our firm per procuration.

BEHRE & Co.

6m 632 Saigon, 1st March, 1866. Apl. 3

TELEGRAMS TO EUROPE FOR INDO EUROPEAN MALTA AND ALEXANDRIA—AND MALTA AND TRESTE LINES.

THE Undersigned beg to Tender their Services for the receipt or tranmission of Telegrams by the above lines.

J. GIBSON THOMSON & Co.
Agents for Reuters Telegram Company Limited.

tf 2539 10 O Ceylon 21st September, 1865.

BUTCHER'S LIVERYSTABLES.

HORSES received on Livery.

Carriages and Horses sold and bought on Commission.

Farriery, under careful supervision.

Carriages and Horses for Hire by the job, hour day, week or month.

Harness and Saddlery repaired and renovated, a stock of London made being always on hand.

Horses broken to saddle or Harness.

(J. B. will be happy to call at the residence of any person requiring his services, on receiving instructions to that effect)

Rear of Murray Barracks, Hongkong.

tf 167 [w.s.]

RIMMEL'S
UNRIVALLED
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Warranted to retain its excellent quality in any climate.

RIMMEL'S TOILET VINEGAR, to supersede Eau de Cologne.

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(E. RIMMEL, Perfumer to H. R. H. the PRINCESS OF WALES.

96, Strand; 128, Regent Street, and 24, Cornhill, London. Tu-nov 56

Intimations.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG, IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE.—WONG SUN of Jervois Street, Victoria, Hongkong, carrying on business there alone as a Chinese Chemist and Druggist under the style, firm, or shop name of "Man Chin Tong," having been adjudged Bankrupt under a petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy filed in the Supreme Court on the Nineteenth day of June, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty, Six, a Public sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination and make application for his discharge will be held before the Honorable Henry John Ball, Esq., Acting Chief Justice of the said Court, at the Supreme Court House, Victoria, Hongkong, on the Seventh day of August, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Six at Eleven o'Clock in the forenoon precisely. Mr. Norman Ramsay Masson, Supreme Court House, is the Official assignee and Mr. Edmund Sharp is the Solicitor Acting in the Bankruptcy.

11d 1610 Hongkong, 28th July, 1866.

IN CHANCERY.

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPANIES' ACT, 1862, *and,*

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMMERCIAL BANK CORPORATION OF INDIA AND THE EAST.

THE Creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 10th day of November, 1866, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any, to Mr. William Hopkins Holyland the Official Liquidator of the said Corporation, at his Offices situate No. 13, Gresham Street, in the City of London, and if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the Chambers of the Master of the Rolls, at Rolls Yard, Chancery Lane, in the County of Middlesex, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

MONDAY, the 3rd December, 1866, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the said Chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating on the debts and claims.

Dated this 6th day of June, 1866.

E. B. CHURCH, *Chief Clerk.*

FRESHFIELDS AND NEWMAN,
5, Bank Buildings, London,
Solicitors for the Official Liquidator.

tf 1577 Hongkong, 24th July, 1866.

In re EDWARD BULLEY'S ESTATE.

NOTICE.—A dividend will be paid to the Creditors of the above Estate, on application at the office of the Undersigned, on and after the 28th day of July, 1866.

N. R. MASSON, *Act. Rgt. Offil. Admtr.*

7d 1581 Hongkong, 23th July, 1866.

NOTICE.

PROBATE of the last will of JAMES FUNFGELD deceased, at Hongkong, on the 27th March last, having been granted to the Undersigned, all persons having claims against the estate of the said J. Funfgeld, are requested to send them in on or before the 31st October, 1866, and also all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to pay the amount without delay.

FREDERIC DEGENAER.
C. BOCHSTETTER.

tf 846 Hongkong, 28th April, 1866.

IN THE SUPREME COURT IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE.—FREDERICK TIMOTHY SMITH, of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, Broker, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy filed in the Supreme Court on the *Seventeenth day of July*, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Norman Ramsay Masson, Esquire, the Acting Registrar of the said Supreme Court, at the first Meeting of Creditors to be held before the said Acting Registrar on the *First day of August*, 1866, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. The said Acting Registrar is the Official Assignee and Mr. Francis Innes Hazeland is the Solicitor acting in the Bankruptcy.

At the Meeting the Acting Registrar will receive the proofs of the Debts of the Creditors, and the Creditors may choose an Assignee or Assignees of the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects.

All Persons having in their possession any of the Effects of the said Bankrupt, must deliver them to the said Acting Registrar, and all debts due to the Bankrupt must be paid to the said Acting Registrar.

10d 1565 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1866.

IN THE SUPREME COURT IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE.—PANG-WAH-PING, of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, Merchant, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition for Adjudication of Bankruptcy filed in the Supreme Court on the *Ninth day of July*, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Norman Ramsay Masson, Esquire, the Acting Registrar of the said Supreme Court, at the first Meeting of Creditors to be held before the said Acting Registrar on the *Third day of August*, 1866, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. The said Acting Registrar is the Official Assignee, and Mr Francis Innes Hazeland is the Solicitor acting in the Bankruptcy.

At the Meeting the Acting Registrar will receive the proofs of the Debts of the Creditors, and the Creditors may choose an Assignee or Assignees of the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects.

All Persons having in their possession any of the Effects of the said Bankrupt, must deliver them to the said Acting Registrar, and all debts due to the Bankrupt must be paid to the said Acting Registrar.

12d 1508 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1866.

IN THE SUPREME COURT IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE.—THEODORE HENRY ELMENHORST, of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, Merchant, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition for Adjudication of Bankruptcy filed in the Supreme Court on the *sixteenth day of July*, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Norman Ramsay Masson, Esquire, the Acting Registrar of the said Supreme Court at the first meeting of Creditors to be held before the said Acting Registrar on the *first day of August*, 1866, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, precisely at the said Court. The said Acting Registrar is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Francis Innes Hazeland is the Solicitor acting in the Bankruptcy.

At the Meeting the Acting Registrar will receive the proofs of the Debts of the Creditors, and the Creditors may choose an Assignee or Assignees of the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects.

All Persons having in their possession any of the Effects of the said Bankrupt must deliver them to the said Acting Registrar, and all debts due to the Bankrupt must be paid to the said Acting Registrar.

10d 1567 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1866.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE.—EDWARD WISBEKING, of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, Photographer, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy filed in the Supreme Court on the *twentieth day of July*, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself, to Norman Ramsay Masson, Esquire, the Acting Registrar of the said Supreme Court, at the first Meeting of Creditors, to be held before the said Acting Registrar on the *second day of August*, A.D. 1866, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, precisely, at the said Court. The said Acting Registrar is the Official Assignee, and Mr. William Gaskell is the solicitor Acting in the Bankruptcy.

At this Meeting, the Acting Registrar will receive the proofs of the debts of the Creditors, and the Creditors may choose an Assignee or Assignees of the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects.

All persons having in their possession any of the Effects of the said Bankrupt must deliver them to the said Acting Registrar, and all debts due to the Bankrupt must be paid to the said Acting Registrar.

10d 1559 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1866.

Intimations.

ITALIAN THEATRE, HOLLYWOOD ROAD.

MR. V. MATHEI begs to inform the inhabitants of Hongkong that at considerable expense he has built a

MAGNIFICENT THEATRE,

in Hollywood Road, where he will give a performance every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, consisting of

POSES PLASTIQUES, INSTRUMENTAL CONCERTS, COMIC PANTOMIMES, &c.

MR. MATHEI, expecting by the next French Mail an addition to his Troupe of Two Artistes—a lady and a gentleman—begs to say that in consequence of the length of time the necessary alterations will take, the next performance will take place on Thursday August 2nd.

The Theatre is open every Evening for Drawing Room Dancing Lessons.

tf 1478 Hongkong, 27th July, 1866.

FOR YOKOHAMA.

THE A 1 French ship

"YOKOHAMA"

Captain P. Blouet, having room for about 150 tons disengaged, will be despatched as above on the 7th August.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

LANDSTEIN & Co.

1w 1614 Hongkong, 30th July, 1866.

WANTED, by a Young Man recently arrived in China from England, a SITUATION as Clerk or Messenger, or any other light Employment, wages not so much an object as immediate employment. Satisfactory testimonials, and reference can be given in Hongkong, if required.

Address "Clerk," office of *Daily Press.*

1w 1615 Hongkong, 30th July, 1866.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOCHOW.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steam-ship

"FORMOSA,"

will have immediate despatch for the above ports.

W. R. DALZIEL, *Acting Superintendent.*

tf. 1616 Hongkong, 30th July, 1866.

FOR SAIGON.

THE A 1 French clipper bark

"PALAIS GALLIEN,"

Captain Roberts, will be despatched for the above port, on, or about MONDAY, the 6th of August next.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.

tf 1617 Hongkong, 30th July, 1866.

Ex Overland Mail.

CABINET LAWYER (large edition).
HANDBOOK of Average by Hopkins.
TOWNSEND'S MANUAL of DATES.

TALBOT & Co.
114 & 116 Queen's Road.

2w A 1618 Hongkong, 30th July, 1866.

TO LET.

With immediate possession.

THE large and commodious house lately occupied by Messrs. CASSUMBHOY NATHABHOY SONS & Co., Gage Street, corner of Peel Street.

For particulars, apply to

LANDSTEIN & Co.

tf 1619 Hongkong, 30th July, 1866.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned, PIANO TUNER and REPAIRER, begs leave, in consequence of his residence not being situated in a central position for the convenience of the Public, to notify that Parties wishing to engage his services would kindly address him to the care of N. S., of the "*Daily Press*" Office.

P. A. SEQUEIRA,

6m 1431 Hongkong, 4th July, 1866.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT & PILLS.

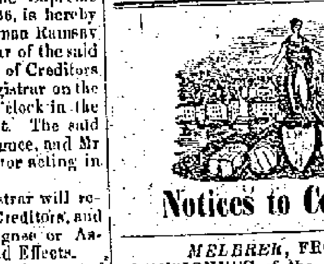
HOLLOWAY'S PILLS and OINTMENT have the largest sale of any Medicine in the World.

The Pills are the finest purifiers and regenerators of the blood ever known. They speedily correct all disorders of the Liver and Stomach, are invaluable in case of Dysentery, and as a general Family Medicine have no equal.

The Ointment will cure any old wound, sore, or ulcer, even if of twenty years' standing, and in all cases of skin diseases, however malignant, such as lepra, scurvy, itch, and all other annoying irritations of the skin, it may be relied upon as a perfect cure; indeed, for all external complaints it stands unrivalled throughout the world. These famous Remedies can be obtained of all Patent Medicine Vendors in Siam, Pekin, Hongkong, Shanghai, and in fact throughout the whole of China, India, and the Islands of the Oriental Archipelago, with copious directions affixed to each pot or box in Chinese (or in any other language), and at a very reasonable price.

Agency in Hongkong.—The Hongkong Dispensary.

tf Hongkong, 30th October, 1863.



Notices to Consignees.

MELBREK, FROM LONDON.

CONSIGNEES of the undermentioned Goods are hereby notified that the same have been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

G & F 480/562, 74 cases merchandise shipped by Kaltenbach Schmitz & Co.

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.

14d 1551 Hongkong, 21st July, 1866.

DUNMAIL FROM LONDON.

CONSIGNEES of the following packages are hereby notified that the same have been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

B & Co. (in diamond) W 18 cases Merchandise.
H.M. S. *Beaver* 1 do do
I S H (in diamond) 25 do do

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf 1513 Hongkong, 17th July, 1866.

THE following Cases are still unclaimed, and are lying in the Messageries Imperiales Parcel Room, at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.

From Bombay.
N/M ... ... 2 pieces and 1 bundle Ivory.

From Marseilles.
L B (in diamond), ... 1 Case Books.
J L & Co., No. 11, ... 1 do. Glassware
Pascolo Pustovethy, ... 1 do. Preserves
M L G 1... ... ... 1 Baggage.

Ex *Donnai*—From Marseilles.
B O 1 ... 1 case Photographic Apparatus
L T Y 221 ... 1 case Baggage.

Ex *Alphee* from Marseilles.
W C, K & Co. in dimd. 2/1211 cases Medz
J L in diamond 55 57/60 63/67 ... 10 „ Rifles.
J L 5/6 ... ... 2 „
L E, No. 5 ... ... 1 „ Straw Hats
S O 5569/70 ... ... 2 „ Colours.

A. CONIL, *Agent.*

1133 Hongkong, 6th July, 1866.

THE following Packages are still unclaimed and are lying in the P. & O. Co.'s Parcel Room, at the Risk of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.

Captain Dickson ... 1 Box Baggage.

From Marseilles
A C 1372 ... ... 1 Parcel Samples.

From London.
J J M A C ... 1 box Worsted, &c., ex *Orissa.*
J L ... ... 1 „ Cartridges, Ex *Ottawa*
Lieut. Perry ... 1 „ Apparel.
M & Co., in diamond, 1 cask Samples.

From Coast Ports.
H in diamond. 1 box Sundries, ex *Azof.*

From Shanghai,
1 Air tight case Plants.

1305 Hongkong, 21st June, 1866.

Docks.

FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED DOCK.

THE above DOCK has been in full working order for the last eighteen months, length 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth of water on the sill springs, average 17 feet, Neap 14 feet.

The Dock in ordinary tides runs dry to the Blocks, and is pumped out by steam. The charges are as follows: The day of entrance, and two following days, One Mexican Dollar per ton register will be charged, beyond that period each day 10 cents per register ton.

LABOR.—European Foreman per day $5.00
Canton " 1.25
Canton Carpenter " 75
Foochow " 45

For further particulars as to the price of Coppering, &c., &c., &c., apply to
T. E. TILLINGHAST, Esq., Messrs. DE SILVER & Co., Hongkong.
ROBERT ADAMS, Esq., Messrs. NICHOLSON and BOYDE, Shanghai.
Or to the Undersigned.

In connection with the above is the powerful Twin Screw Tug *Woosung*, vessels requiring the services of this Tug, either from Watson (where a splendid anchorage will be found during the S.W. Monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can obtain them at moderate rates, on application to
JOHN C. SKEY. *Manager.*
Pagoda Anchorage, River Min.

No percentage charged upon the labor, but a charge of 10 per cent. will be made on all materials supplied, otherwise than by the Dock.
tf 1514 Foochow, 21st July, 1866.

PORT OF AMOY.

SHIPOWNERS, AGENTS, and COMMANDERS, are informed that the DOCK COMPANY'S ESTABLISHMENTS, at the above Port, afford every facility for Repairing and Sparring Vessels and for Cleaning and Painting Iron and Steam Ships.

Their large GRANITE DOCK, 286 feet long on the Blocks, is in complete Working order, and at average Spring tides can take Vessels Drawing 16 to 17 feet Water. The Dock is fitted with a Caisson Gate and with a Centrifugal Steam Pump of great power ensuring despatch in all states of the tide. An ample stock is kept on hand of Timber, Oregon Spars, Sheathing Copper and Yellow Metal, and of every description of Material required for Dock Yard use.

The Premises comprise an Engineer's Workshop, a large Smithy and Carpenter's Workshops, and the Works are superintended by Resident Europeans, viz., a Shipwright, an Engineer and a Blacksmith. Dry Godowns for the reception of Vessels stores &c., when requiring to discharge them.
tf 266 23rd Amoy, March 1865.

DANES ISLAND DOCKS, WHAMPOA.
CONDUCTED BY
GOW & Co.

ONE DOCK, 240 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 14 feet, at Spring Tides.
One Dock, 160 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 11 feet at Spring Tides.
There are Houses at both Docks for the accommodation of Captains and Crews of Vessels.
All kinds of Ship, and Blacksmiths Work done.
The Large Dock pumped out by an Engine.
The Proprietors beg to notify the Merchants, Ship Owners, and Captains, that their charges for Docking are lower than any in China.
No Commission charged upon any Metal or Stores supplied by the Ship.
Apply to
JOHN BIACH & Co., *Hongkong*; or to
ALEXR. MORRISON, *Manager, Whampoa.*
tf Hongkong, 4th September, 1863.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA LIMITED.

THE Company respectfully beg to call the attention of Ship Owners, Agents and Masters to their Establishments at WHAMPOA, which offer every facility for the DOCKING and REPAIR of Vessels of all classes.

Their DOCKS in Whampoa, which comprise Four, have been in successful operation for the last Twelve Year and are now in good Working Condition.

The DOCKS are pumped out by a Steam Pump in Five hours and capable of taking in Vessels drawing 15½ feet at Spring Tides.

The WORK SHOPS comprise the different Departments of the Shipwright, Blacksmiths, Boiler Maker, and Foundry—possessing all the necessary appliances for the Repairs of Ships, Steamers, and Steam Machinery.

The STORES in the different Departments consist of the best Materials, which can be supplied to Vessels on the most reasonable Terms.

A JETTY, with a powerful Lifting Shears, longside of which Vessels can lie and take out Masts, Boilers, &c.

A STEAM TUG always in readiness to Tow Vessels to the Docks, free of charge, and will tow them back to anchorage or to sea at Reduced Rates.

All Work carried on under the superintendence of experienced Europeans.
For further particulars, apply to
J. B. ENDICOTT, *Secretary.*
or CAPT. T. B. RENNELL, *Manager at Whampoa.*

N.B.—The Consignees or Masters of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the Work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock Arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.
tf 960 Hongkong, 24th March, 1865.

NOTICE.
UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA. (LIMITED.)

THE Third Call of Two Hundred Dollars ($200) per Share is due on the 6th January next and is payable at the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COMPANY LIMITED receipts for the payment of which will be granted by the Manager.

Interest at the rate of twelve per centum per Annum will be charged on all calls unpaid after the above date.
By order of the Directors,
J. B. ENDICOTT, *Secretary.*
tf 2753 Hongkong, 8th November, 1865.

The Bangkok Dock Company's.
NEW DOCK.

THIS Magnificent Dock is now ready to receive Vessels of any burthen and the attention of Ship Owners, Agents and Masters is respectfully solicited to the advantages for Repairing and Sparring Vessels, which no other Dock in the East can offer.

The following description of the Premises is submitted for the information of the public.
The Dimensions and Depth of water being:
Length ... 300 feet. (to be extended)
Breadth ... 100 feet.
Depth of Water ... 15

The Dock is fitted with a Caisson, has a splendid entrance of 120 feet from the River with a spacious Jetty on each side, where Vessels of any size may lay at any state of the Tides, to lift Masts, Boilers etc.—with Powerful Lifting Shears, which are now in the course of construction.

The Dock is fitted with Steam Pumps of Great Power insuring Dispatch in all states of the Tides.

WORKSHOPS.

The Workshops comprise the different departments of *Ship wrights, Mast and Block Makers, Blacksmiths, Engineers, Foundry, etc.*

The whole being superintended by Europeans, who have had many years experience in the different branches.

The *Workmen* are the best picked men from Hongkong and Whampoa.

The Company draws particular attention to the Great advantages this Dock offers, being in a Port where the best Teak and other Timber can be had at the cheapest cost.

A *Steam Saw Mill* is also in connection with the Dock to insure dispatch in work.

The *Keel Blocks* are 4 feet in height and can be taken out of or shifted without cutting or causing any expense to ships having to get them removed.

The Company is also prepared to give estimates or enter into Contracts for the repairs of Wooden or Iron Ships, the Building of New Ships, Steam Boats, etc., or any kind of work connected with shipping.

All Material supplied at Market price. Vessels for Docking may lay at the Company's Buoys or Wharf free of charge until ordered to remove by the Superintendent.

Captains of Vessels before leaving the Dock must approve and sign their Dockage Bills.

All communications respecting the docking to be addressed *until further notice* to the undersigned, by whom all Bills will be signed and collected.
JOHN BUSH, *Managing Director.*
Bangkok, 18th, Sept, 1865.
1y 2636 Hongkong, 20th October, 1865.

Miscellaneous Wants.

WANTED.

BY a family proceeding to England, a Respectable FEMALE SERVANT, who would feel disposed to make herself generally useful as Nurse, &c. Address H. S. *Daily Press* Office.
tf 1451 Hongkong, 9th July, 1866.

SIGNOR PIETRO MONTALBETTI is prepared to give lessons on the PIANO-FORTE and in VOCAL MUSIC.
Address to the Catholic Mission House, next door to the R. C. College.
P. MONTALBETTI.
tf 1450 Hongkong, 9th July, 1866.

Notifications.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS are hereby notified that the Fourth call of Twenty five Dollars per Share, on all Shares in the above Company, will be due, on the 16th September next, at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Company, Limited, after which day interest will be charged at the rate of Twelve per cent. per Annum on all overdue calls.
By Order of the Directors.
R. B. SLATE, *Secretary.*
tf 1274 Hongkong, 18th June, 1866.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED

NOTICE is hereby given that the Company has this day been registered as with Limited Liability under the provisions of "THE COMPANIES ORDINANCE, 1865."
The Articles of Association lie for Signature at the office of F. J. Hazeland, Esq., Solicitor to the Company.
Dated this 2nd day of March A.D. 1866.
By Order R. B. SLATE, *Secretary.*
tf 515 Hongkong, 3rd March, 1866.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY "LIMITED."

SHAREHOLDERS are informed that they can now obtain Scrip Certificates for Shares in the above Company in Exchange for Bankers Receipts, at the Office of the Company, Club Chambers Buildings.
By Order of the Directors.
R. B. SLATE. *Secretary.*
tf 615 Hongkong, 2nd April, 1865.

THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the THIRD CALL, of $25 each, due upon the shares of this Company, will be due and payable on the 6th day of *August next*, at the Offices of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Company, Limited, Hongkong, where receipts will be granted for the amount by the Manager, which receipts can be exchanged for Share Certificates at the Office of the Company on and after the said 6th day of August next.
Interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum will be charged on all amounts unpaid.
By order of the Board of Directors.
(*Signed*) AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. *General Agents.*
tf 1139 Hongkong, 5th July 1866.

NOTICE.
HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY.

THE fifth call, due 1st July, on the new shares of this Company, is payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, instead of the Agra and Masterman's Bank.
By order of the Directors
D. LAPRAIK, *Secretary*
tf 1330 Hongkong, 2nd July, 1866.

NOTICE.
HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY.

THE Fifth Call of Fifty Dollars ($50) per Share on the new Stock of the HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, is due on the 1st July next, and is payable at the "Agra and Masterman's Bank," Receipts for the payment of which will be granted by the Manager.
By Order of the Directors.
D. LAPRAIK, *Secretary.*
tf 1164 Hongkong, 1st May, 1866. June-8

DR. L. ENGELHARD, PHYSICIAN SURGEON AND ACCOUCHEUR.
Late of Berlin, Specialist in diseases of the EYE AND EAR,
PRIVATE PUPIL OF
Prof. VON GRAEFE, Berlin; ARLDT, Von JAEGER and POLLITZER, Vienna.
Laryngoscopic examinations made in diseases of the Throat and Lungs.
The Doctor can be consulted in German, English, French, and Spanish.
Office Oriental Hotel, 1st floor, Nos. 3 and 4. Attendance, from 8 to 9 A.M., and 2 to 3 P.M.
6m 1481 Hongkong, 13th July, 1866.

OWING to the frequent occurrence of losses arising from Vessels employing SAND or MUD as ballast, the undermentioned Insurance Companies have mutually agreed to decline from and after the First of January next, all Insurances by Vessels thus ballasted.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
General Agents Canton Insurance Office.
DENT & Co.
Secretaries Union Insurance Society of Canton.
For the North China Insurance Company.
Charles Mackintosh Agent.
RUSSELL & Co.
Secretaries Yangtsze Insurance Association.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
General Agents China Traders Insurance Company Limited.
tf 3053 Hongkong, 21st December, 1865.

TELEGRAPH AGENCY, POINT DE GALLE.

MR THOMAS CLARK continues to act as Agent for "REUTER'S TELEGRAPH COMPANY," and will receive and forward all Messages to Europe, or *vice versa*, by the Indo-European line, or via Suez, carefully registering the same.
tf 3-5 Galle, 13th April, 1865. 1829

I HEREWITH give notice that I will not be answerable for any debts whatever incurred by Mrs. G. VOLLHARDT.
G. VOLLHARDT.
1m 1395 Hongkong, 2nd July, 1866.

NOTICE.
TENDERS FOR CONDUCTING FUNERALS.

TENDERS from undertakers will be received up to 31st July, 1866, at the Government Civil Hospital, for the entire management and conduct of Funerals from that Institution to the Cemetery.
Particulars may be ascertained by application to the Resident Surgeon.
Government Civil Hospital,
Hongkong, 7th July, 1866. 25d 1444

MR. CHARLES BADINS has ceased to be employed by us here or elsewhere.
JULES EUZIERE & CIE.,
Hairdressers, and Perfumers.
2w 1583 Hongkong, 24th July, 1866.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned begs hereby to notify that he will not be RESPONSIBLE for any debts that may be contracted by either his passengers or crew.
F. G. LUCAS.
Captain of the American ship *Samuel Russell*.
tf 1538 Hongkong, 20th July, 1866.

THE undersigned having purchased from D. B. VINES, Esq., the Business, good will, stock and fixtures of the proprietary known as the Oriental Hotel, at Honam Canton, respectfully solicits a share of public patronage.
D. DE BARROS,
tf 3018 Canton, 14th December, 1865. d-61

NOTICE.

MR A. P. SINNETT is authorized to act as my attorney during my absence from this colony, and his receipt for all sums due or payable to me is hereby declared a valid discharge.
Y. J. MURROW,
Proprietor *Daily Press* and *Trade Report*.
Hongkong, 12th July, 1866.

NOTICE.

MR. W. H. BELL will, from and after the 1st July instant, assume the entire management and control of the Printing Office of this establishment. All communications whatever, except those on editorial business, should be addressed to him, and his receipt only for all payments, except for subscription to the *Daily Press* and the *Overland Trade Report*, will be a good and sufficient discharge.
Y. J. MURROW, *Proprietor.*
Daily Press Office.
Hongkong, 3rd July, 1866.

UNDER DISPATCH.

For Shanghai.—Per *Suwonana*, To-day, the 30th Instant, at 2 P.M.

The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, JULY 30, 1866.

Latest Dates.

From	to the		Conveyance
London, (*direct*)	16th	June	Cambodge
Do. (*teleg*)	5th	July	"
New York, (*teleg*)	7th	June	"
Calcutta, (*teleg*)	11th	July	"
Bombay, (*teleg*)	2nd	"	"
Galle	14th	"	
Penang	2nd	"	Orissa
Singapore	22nd	"	Cambodge
Saigon	26th	"	
Shanghai	25th	"	Corea
Yokohama †	14th	"	
Nagasaki †	10th	"	Argus
Peking	9th	"	Nanzing
Tientsin	12th	"	"
Chefoo †	13th	"	
Hankow †	19th	"	Skanae
Kewkiang †	20th	"	
Newchwang	15th	June	Caroline
Ningpo †	23rd	July	Express
Foochow	22nd	"	Kiangse
Amoy	23rd	"	"
San Francisco	20th	May	Fearless
Manila	23rd	July	Circe

† via Shanghai.

The assets of the Agra and Masterman's Bank have, we understand, been all transmitted in dollars to India by the *John Bright* which sailed on Saturday and the mail steamer which left yesterday morning. As the money will thus be saved for all creditors instead of being seized by those whose claims first come to maturity, it is to be presumed that the majority will be well pleased with the arrangement. The amount sent away was about five lakhs of dollars.

We have much pleasure in announcing that the contract for the Bathing establishment has at last been arranged. The price agreed upon is $4,000, about $800 in excess of the amount at present subscribed, and for this excess the committee is of course responsible. It is expected however that the deficit will be made up by the community, and although it would be highly improper to try and extort more money from the heads of houses who as a rule have promised very handsome sums already the committee suggests that if those who have put down their names for small sums would, when the subscription list is sent round for collection augment their subscriptions by a few dollars the deficit could be filled up in the most satisfactory manner. By this plan those who are likely to be the most constant frequenters of the bath would show themselves self reliant and to some extent independant of gifts from rich men.

BI-MONTHLY SUMMARY.

From the China Overland Trade Report.

Directly after the departure of the last mail, it became known that the manager of the Commercial Bank had replied to the adverse judgment of the Acting Chief Justice, by a measure of an extraordinary kind. The assets of the Bank, had, in accordance with the wishes expressed at the creditors meeting been paid into the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, the object being to remove them, as it were, from the custody of the Commercial Bank manager, so that the creditors though abstaining for the moment from any attempt to assert their individual rights might at any rate feel sure that the money was lying in safety, out of reach of the manager, and that when the further information for which they were asked to wait, arrived from London, they would be in as good a position for undertaking legal proceedings as at the moment the suspension was announced. It is strange, considering the purpose with which the money was removed from the custody of the Comercial Bank manager, that the creditors were content to have it lodged in the local Bank in his name. In fact by the light of subsequent events this oversight on the part of the creditors has been considered ridiculous and inexplicable. Lying at the local bank in his name, of course the money was as much at the disposal of the manager of the Commercial Bank as if it had been in his own Treasury. When the adverse decision of the Acting Chief Justice was pronounced on the eve of the departure of the mail, he availed himself of the power which had been so strangely left in his hands, and transmitted every dollar of the money belonging to the Commercial Bank home to England, endorsing all bills to the Official Liquidator in London although the name of that officer was still unknown. As soon as the steamer had gone the coup was revealed and the excitement it produced was extraordinary. People who suffered by the operation, freely applied to its authors, expressions of the most unqualified nature. Gradually, however, public opinion changed and it was agreed that nothing illegal or in the nature of fraud had been committed, that the Commercial Bank Manager had acted in accordance with the policy which he thought best for the great body of creditors including those in England, that the local Bank Manager at any rate was simply doing what he was compelled in honor to do in surrendering the money, and that altogether the local creditors had made such a mistake at the meeting in failing to appoint trustees as custodians of the funds that they had no one to blame but themselves. As to the wisdom of the measure looked at from the point of view of the Commercial Bank which thus defies its creditors to do their worst, and throws away all idea of lenient treatment from them in the future that is of course another question altogether, but under the present state of the law in this colony, which with reference to banking, appears to be in an extraordinary state of confusion, it was thought to be impossible to wind up this branch independantly of the London office, in the same way that the branches in India, Singapore and the open ports of China can be wound up, and the manager of this branch in transmitting his assets home is simply doing in accordance with the legal view, that the creditors in London and Hongkong, have a common claim upon a common fund. On the 27th a second meeting of Commercial Bank creditors was held, but no important result was achieved. A resolution was certainly carried by the creditors requesting that an application should be made to the Master of the Rolls for an order to wind up this branch independantly, but most creditors refused to commit themselves by voting for or against it, and no other was brought forward.

The excitement in connexion with the matter which has just been described, had scarcely subsided when the local bank startled the colony by creating a new and extraordinary precedent in connexion with the obligations of bankers towards holders of their notes. The Agra and Masterman's Bank engaged in arranging its affairs consequently on its suspension, sent to the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank $30,000 worth of notes on that bank for payment. The notes, however, were no sooner in the custody of the local Bank than it refused either to pay them or to return them, alleging that in consequence of the suspension of the Agra Bank, bills would be returned upon the hands of the local Bank which it would have to pay, that the Agra Bank was more heavily indebted to it on the expected bills than it was to the Agra on the notes then presented. The manager of the Agra Bank not waiting for the slow process of civil law, at once summoned the manager of the Hongkong Bank at the Police court for the illegal detention of his property, and the case came on in the presence of a great number of residents on Tuesday 17th instant. The seizure of the notes had been effected on Saturday 14th and the case should have come on Monday but in consequence of the absence of Mr. Pollard who was to appear for the Hongkong Bank it was postponed for a day. In the meantime public opinion had been very loudly expressed against the attempt which had been made by the local Bank manager. It was urged that the bank note was an obligation to pay at the moment of presentation, in the currency of the island, the amount named on the face of the document. That even if there was an ordinary debt from the note holder to the banker, already arrived at maturity when the note was presented, it was doubtful whether it could be pleaded as a set off, but that in the case of a possible future debt, the idea of pleading it as a set off was monstrous. The manager at first offered to return the notes to the Agra Bank endorsed with an explanation of the circumstances under which they had been refused payment, but this was naturally declined. Then they were offered on condition that their numbers should be taken in presence of a notary public. This also was declined and finally on the morning when the case was appointed to come on at the police court, the local Bank offered to pay the notes in dollars. This offer came at so late an hour that there was no time to stop the case, which proceeded and was dismissed by the magistrate on the ground that he had no jurisdiction. On the following day however, the notes were returned to the Agra Bank unconditionally.

The absence of any important news from the North of China leaves room for some account of a very important meeting of the Legislative Council of Hongkong which was held on Wednesday the 25th instant for the purpose of enabling the GOVERNOR to bring forward the estimates for the year 1867. The deplorable state of the colonial finances, overwhelmed by the enormous cost of the Mint which as yet has shown no signs of realising the brilliant anticipations of its founders, permanently burdened with a military contribution to the Imperial exchequer, imposed in violation of all the understandings with the early settlers in the colony, had for a long time been a subject of painful interest with this community. It was understood that there was a considerable deficit in the accounts, and that at the meeting of the Council which was long expected and at last called for Wednesday the 25th inst. the GOVERNOR would bring forward some financial measure by means of which the treasury could be recruited. When the time came, he not only brought forward his budget but a quantity of legislation as well, directed towards the suppression of the various evils which have so long been rampant in Hongkong. He explained that he had considered it advisable to bring forward all the bills then laid on the table *en bloc*, because the estimates were to some extent modified by them, it was better that the members of the Council should have an opportunity of considering the financial proposals and the draft ordinances at the same time. The total estimates for year amounted to 803,600 dollars. In contemplating the measures necessary for meeting this expenditure, the Governor reviewed the accounts for the last six years, shewing that in the year 1863 the expenditure for the first time exceeded the revenue. In every year since then there has been a deficit, and the accumulations of the land premiums have now been entirely swept away. The Governor argued, therefore that inasmuch as the expenditure must be permanently in excess of the revenue, the only way of meeting the present financial difficulty, was to raise more money by taxation. The first six months of this year, the expenditure will have exceeded the revenue by $75,000 and at the conclusion of the year a deficit of $100,000 may be expected. These calculations indeed which are those of the Auditor General are more favourable than some, that have been prepared by other officers of the Government, under these circumstances therefore and in face of the possible necessity of borrowing money to meet the immediate obligations of the Colony, the Governor considered an increase of taxation inevitable, and announced his intention of bringing forward a measure, modelled upon the Stamp act of Singapore. This Bill he will lay before the next meeting of the Legislative Council. In the mean time he laid on the table the series of ordinances, above refered to. These were, first the estimates for 1867. Secondly the Harbours and Coasts Ordinance, which is directed to the removal of one of the grossest anomalies, which have been observable hitherto, in the administration of this Colony. This is the freedom which native craft of all kinds have up to this time enjoyed of coming and going as they pleased in the harbor of Victoria without being subjected to any of the simple port regulations to which civilised vessels have to conform. The result of this freedom has been that the harbor of Victoria has been one of the securest refuges for pirates which could be found any where along this coast. In future under this ordinance, all junks entering the harbor will have to report themselves at the Harbor Master's office, state their character and obtain a proper clearance before they will be allowed to leave. Another of the new bills is intended to provide a special court, consisting of the Chief Justice, the Admiral of the Station, the Senior Naval Officer at Hongkong the Judge of the Summary court, and two unofficial members, for the trial of piracy cases. Considering the frequency with which pirates of whose guilt no moral doubt whatever existed, have escaped on their trial in this colony by legal quibbles, false evidence and the ingenuity of counsel, the new court will receive the cordial approval of all who have any experience of the matters to which it refers. Another ordinance provides for the registration of all Chinese houses in the colony and all native servants, another for new police regulations directed to securing greater attention on the part of the Chinese to ordinary sanitary precautions. The ordinances together constitute what has been called a "social revolution" in Hongkong but the revolution has been so much wanted that it is welcomed by all parties, and although, as will be seen by the comments of the local press, the proposal for a Stamp act will be highly unpopular, there is a general disposition to acknowledge in the heartiest manner the energy which the Governor has shown in grappling with difficulties which encountered him on assuming the administration of this colony.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

Arrival of the French Mail.
TELEGRAMS TO THE 7TH.
GREAT BATTLES—REPULSE OF PRUSSIANS—POSSIBILITY OF PEACE.

The lastest telegrams from London are to the 5th of July, and the news they bring is of a deeply interesting character. The Italian have been severely repulsed. The Prussians have been defeated in one battle and victorious in another. The telegrams are as follows:—

LONDON, 25th June.
Both Wings of Italian Army have been repulsed. Prince Amadino (Amadeus), and General Cerale (Cialdini?), have been repulsed in invading Galicia.

LONDON, 28th June.
Lord Derby has not yet formed a new Ministry. There has been a second battle in Bohemia. The Prussians were defeated with great loss and retreated leaving their dead and wounded. An Armistice has been refused by the Austrians. Discount 10, unaltered. Cotton quiet, occasionally in favor of buyers, not quotably lower. Sales 8,000.

LONDON, 29th June.
Another battle in Bohemia—Prussians victorious. Hanoverian Army surrendered to Prussians. Shirtings 12s. 3d. Mule Twist 20d.—quiet.

LONDON, 4th July.
The Oriental, Mercantile, and Bank of Hindustan have announced that after December their branches will not buy or sell bills exceeding four months.

LONDON, 5th June.
The *Moniteur* announces Peace. Cotton excited. Bank rate 10 per cent. Austria ceded Venetia—accepted mediation of Napoleon to conclude peace. Napoleon sent communications to Prussia and Italy to obtain armistice.

Private Telegram.

We have received through a private channel, the following telegram, two days later than those in the *Straits Times*.

LONDON, July 7th.
"Prussia rejected—Austria not yet answered Napoleon's proposal for armistice, "Cession of Venetia to France, caused great "discontent in Italy."

THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE WAR.

The latest telegrams in the London papers of the 16th announce the entrance of the Prussians into Saxony and Hanover.

"A Leipsic telegram of the 15th, dated 4.25 P.M., states that the Prussian troops entered Saxony on that day.

"The Prussian troops also entered Hanover on the 15th, by Harburg and Minden—the Hanoverian troops retiring to Gottingen for concentration there with the Kalik Brigade and the Bavarian army. The Hamburg Bourse on the 15th was heavy in consequence of a report to this effect.

The cause of the Prussian advance into Saxony appears to have been a resolution at a Cabinet Council held at Dresden on the 15th. The Prussian Minister was immediately afterwards received by the King, and the Prussian ultimatum demanding the neutrality of Saxony in the Austro-Prussian conflict, the restoration of the Saxon army to a peace footing and adhesion to the Prussian proposal for convoking a German Parliament with the view of founding a new confederation, was rejected by the Saxon Government.

"The Prussian entry into Hanover was also preceeded by a rejected proposal of neutrality. A Hanover telegram of the 15th says:—"The Prussian proposals for an alliance, in accordance with which Hanover should observe neutrality, have been refused by the King. Hanover has also positively rejected the principal points of the Prussian proposals for a more closely united Confederation, especially those articles of the Prussian project which rather refer to the military organisation and the question of the German fleet. The Harburg railway has been destroyed in several places."

Various telegrams of the 16th from different parts of Europe are as follows:—

PRAGUE, June 16.
The entry of the Prussian troops into Saxony is fully confirmed.
They have occupied Loban and Zittau, within the eastern frontier of Saxony, and also threaten an advance from the Prussian towns of Schkenditz and Zeitz, on the western frontier.
The railway between Riesa and Dresden has been destroyed.
Passenger traffic and postal communication between Prussia and Saxony is stopped.

DRESDEN JUNE 16.
The Crown Princess of Saxony proceeds to Vienna.
The Saxon Treasury and valuables, and the provisons for the army, have been transported for security to Bohemia.

FRANKFORT-ON-THE-MAINE, June 16.
Prince Charles of Bavaria will be appointed Commander-in-Chief of the Federal army.

VIENNA, June 16.
The French Cabinet has sent the letter lately addressed by the Emperor Napoleon to M. Drouyn de Lhuys to the French representatives abroad, together with a circular explaining the bearing of the letter.
The *Neue Freie Presse* of to-day asserts that Prince Gortschakoff has sent a circular to the representatives of Russia abroad, stating that upon the slightest violation of neutrality by France, Russia will abandon her present neutral attitude.

HANOVER, June 16.
The king of Hanover and the Crown Prince set out last night for the camp of the army which is being concentrated near Gottingen. The Queen and the Royal Princesses remain here.
It is rumoured that a Ministerial crisis exists.

THE ATTITUDE OF FRANCE.

The Emperor the of French in the following letter addressed to Drouyn de Lhuys and read by him to the Legislative corps, explains his own views of the situation with the utmost candur.

"*The Tulleries, June 11 1866.*

"Monsieur le Ministre,—At the moment when the hopes of peace seem to vanish which the meeting of the Conference led us to entertain, it is essential to explain by a circular to our diplomatic agents abroad, the ideas which my Government proposed to submit to the Councils of Europe, and the conduct which it proposes to adopt in presence of the events in preparation. Such a communication will show our policy in its true light. If the Conference had taken place you're aware that our language was to be explicit. You were to declare in my name that I repudiated all idea of territorial aggrandisement—so long as the equilibrium of Europe was not disturbed. In fact, we could only think of the extension of our frontiers in the case of the map of Europe coming to be modified for the exclusive benefit of a Great Power, and in case of provinces on our border demanding, by votes freely expressed, their annexation to France. Such circumstances excepted, I think it more worthy of our country to prefer to territorial acquisitions the precious advantage of having on good terms with our neighbours, while respecting their independence and their nationality. Animated by these sentiments and having solely in view the maintenance of peace, I made an appeal to England and Russia jointly to address words of conciliation to the parties interested. The accord established between the Neutral Powers will remain of itself a pledge of security for Europe. They showed their deep impartiality by coming to the resolution of restricting the discussions of the Conference to the question pending. To solve them I believe it was necessary to deal with them frankly, to disengage them from the diplomatic veil that was covering them, and to take into serious consideration the legitimate wishes of sovereigns and peoples. The conflict then has three causes—The badly planned geographical position of Prussia; the feeling of Germany, calling out for a political reconstruction more in conformity with its general wants; the necessity to Italy of assuring her independence. The Neutral Powers could have no desire to mix themselves up the internal affairs of foreign countries Still the Courts that had participated in the acts of the Germanic Confederation had a right to examine whether the changes called for were not of a nature to compromise the established order of Europe. As far as concerns ourselves we should have desired for the secondary States of the Confederation a more intimate union, a more powerful organisation, a more important character; for Prussia more homogeneity and strength in the North; for Austria the maintenance of her great position in Germany. We could have wished, moreover, that for an equitable compensation Austria should cede Venetia to Italy; for seeing that, in concert with Prussia, and without troubling herself with the Treaty of 1852, she made war on Denmark in the name of German nationality, it appeared to me just that she should recognise the same principle for Italy, by completing the independence of the peninsula. Such are the ideas that we should have put forward for the interest of the quiet of Europe. It is now to be feared that the chances of war may decide on them. In face of these eventualities what is the attitude befitting France. Are we to show our displeasure that Germany finds the Treaties of 1815 impotent to satisfy her national tendencies and to maintain her tranquility. In the struggle that is on the point of commencing we have only two interests. The conservation of the equilibrium of Europe, and the upholding of the work we contributed to build in Italy. But is not the moral force of France sufficient to protect these two interests? Will she be obliged to draw the sword in order that her words should be listened to? I do not think it. If, notwithstanding our efforts, the hopes of peace be not realised, we have at least the assurance from the declarations of the Courts engaged in the conflict, that whatever be the results of the war, none of the questions in which we are interested will be settled without the concurrence of France. Let us maintain, then, a watchful neutrality, and, strong in our disinterestedness, animated by the sincere desire to see the peoples of Europe forget their quarrels and unite for the advancement of civilisation, liberty and progress, let us wait, confident in our right and calm in our strength. Hereupon, Monsieur le Ministre, I pray God to have you in His holy keeping."

DANUBIAN PRINCIPALITIES.

It is affirmed in well-informed circles at Paris that England, France, and Russia, have agreed to recognise Prince Hohenzollern as Hospodar of the Danubian Principalities. His marriage with a Russian Princess is again on the tapis.

AUSTRIA AND RUSSIA.—Some strange reports are in circulation in respect to Russia—and one of them is that she, in the event of a war, will, with the consent and approval of this Government, place an army of 80,000 or 100,000 men on the north-eastern frontier of the Austrian Empire. Queen Olga, of Wurtemburg, was the mediatrix between Russia and Austria, and it is certain that her efforts to improve the relations between the Emperors Alexander and Francis Joseph have, to a certain extent, been successful. The *rapprochement* between the St. Petersburg and Vienna Cabinets is extremely distasteful to the Austrians, as they fear that it may lead to the loss of their recently-acquired constitutional rights. It is morally certain that Austria will lose ground in Germany in the same ratio as her relations with Russia improve—*Times Vienna Correspondent.*

The Calcutta Opium Market.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)

CALCUTTA, July 10th.
Seventh sales average, Patna Rs. 1,175, Benares Rs. 1,107.

CALCUTTA, July 11th.
Patna Rs. 1,200.

Since the 21th of April the Austrian Government has managed to raise 242,000,000fl.—that is, 60,000,000fl. by means of silver mortgage bonds, 10,500,000fl. by bills of exchange, for which the salt mines of Wieliczka were given as security, 150,000,000fl. by State notes, 9,500,000fl. *münzscheine* (notes of 10 creutzers), and 12,000,000fl. by means of the forced loan in Venetia.

Registration Ordinance.

It will be seen that the following ordinance, one of those introduced on Wednesday,—provides for the complete Registration of Chinese houses and servants in this colony, and is of the highest importance.

Whereas it is expedient to make Provision for the Registration of Houses in Victoria and also of Chinese Servants in the regular employ of persons other than Chinese residing therein: Be it therefore enacted and ordained by His Excellency the Governor of Hongkong, with the Advice of the Legislative Council thereof as follows:—

I. This Ordinance may be cited as "The Victoria Registration Ordinance 1866."

II. In the construction of this Ordinance the term "The Governor" shall mean His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of Hongkong or the Officer for the time being administering the Government of the said Colony.

The term "Householder" shall mean any Person actually occupying the whole of any building or tenement in a district of Victoria or in case, where there shall be no such Person than the immediate landlord of the whole of such building or tenement.

The term "Servant" shall mean every Chinese regularly employed in or about the Dwelling House, Office, Shop or other Establishment of any Person, not being a Chinese, within a District of Victoria.

III. The Town of Victoria shall for the Purposes of Registration under this Ordinance be divided into the Nine following districts that is to say (1) Shektongtsin (2) Sai Ying Poon (3) Taipingshan (4) Sheong Wan (5) Choong Wan North and South (6) Ha Wan (7) Wanchai (8) Bowrington (9) So Kon Poo and the boundaries of the said Districts shall be those specified in the first Schedule hereto, and the Map regulating and defining the boundaries of the said Districts shall be kept in the Office of the Registrar General and a duplicate of the said Map in the Office of the Surveyor General.

IV. It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to alter all or any of the said Districts or their boundaries.

V. A separate Register Book in respect of each of the said Districts shall be kept in the Registrar General's Office.

VI. Every Person being a Householder at the commencement of this Ordinance shall within Thirty Days next thereafter furnish to the Registrar General the following particulars to be kept in the Register of such District:—

1st. The name of the Street in which his House is situate, and the Street number thereof.

2nd. His name and address and Profession or Trade.

3rd. The name, condition, or occupation of any person renting any portion of the said House from such Householder...... and such other Particulars as may from time to time be required of him by the Registrar General, who when necessary shall supply blank forms for such purposes.

VII. Every Householder shall within One Week report to the Registrar General any change in the tenancy of any portion of his house and furnish the Registrar General with all particulars which may be required of him as to the name, condition, business or occupation of every new tenant of any portion of such house.

VIII. Every person who shall become a Householder after the commencement of this Ordinance shall within Fifteen Days thereafter report the same to the Registrar General.

IX. Every Registered Householder shall recieve a Certificate of Registration in English and Chinese, signed by the Registrar General, containing such particulars as the Registrar General shall deem expedient, which said Certificate shall be produced by him when required so to do by the Registrar General or any Justice of the Peace or any officer of Police.

X. Every Householder who shall not have his permanent place of residence in the Colony shall enter into a Bond with two Sureties to be approved of by the Registrar General conditioned in the sum of Five hundred Dollars for the observance of the Provisions of this Ordinance, and shall appoint an Agent in the Colony whose name and address he shall furnish to the Registrar General, and until he shall comply with the Provisions of this Section the Rents and Profits of his House shall be seized in the manner provided by Section XIX and forfeited to the Crown.

XI. It shall be lawful for the Registrar General to summon in writing before him any Householder or any tenant of a portion thereof and such Householder or tenant shall appear before the Registrar General at the time and place specified in such summons and furnish all particulars required by him which are required by this Ordinance to be recorded by the Registrar General.

XII. It shall be lawful for the Governor to appoint any fit Person who shall be recommended by the Inhabitants of any District to the Office of Chief Watchman of such District, and such Chief Watchman shall be immediately subordinate to the Registrar General and have all the Powers and Authorities of a Constable.

XIII. It shall be lawful for the Governor to appoint for each District any number of Person who shall be recommended to him by the Inhabitants of such District to fill the Office of Watchmen of such District, and every such Watchman shall be under the control of the Registrar General and immediately subordinate to the Chief Watchman, and shall have all the Powers and Authorities of a Constable.

XIV. The Registrar General with approval of the Governor in Council, shall make Rules and Regulations to be observed by the said Watchman.

XV. It shall be lawful for the Registrar General summarily to dismiss any such Chief or other Watchman to be appointed as aforesaid, and also to inflict upon him any Fine not exceeding Ten Dollars for misconduct; and every Fine so inflicted may be levied or recovered before a Magistrate of Police upon the application of the Registrar General in the manner provided for the recovery of Fines by Ordinance No. 10 of 1844.

XVI. It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to direct that any District or Street in Victoria or any part thereof be enclosed by means of gates or otherwise and that all ingress or egress in or out of the same shall be prohibited at such times and for such manner as to the said Governor in Council shall seem fit.

XVII. Whenever a Fine shall be imposed upon any person resident in any house and not being the Householder within the meaning of this Ordinance, for any violation of the Provisions of the following Ordinances that is to say.

every such fine or any part thereof in cases the same shall not have been recovered from the actual Offender may be recovered from the Householder by action at law or by a summary warrant of distress to issue out of the Court by which such fine shall have been imposed and to be executed against the goods and chattels of such Householder, without prejudice to the further power given by Section XIX for the recovery of such Fine—Provided always that the amount of every such Fine howsoever recovered from every such Householder or voluntarily paied by him may be recovered by such Householder from the Offender primarily liable for the same in an action for money had and received.

XVIII. Whenever any offence against any of the Provisions of the Ordinances specified in the last Section shall have been proved to have been committed by any person resident in but not being the Householder within a District of Victoria and the actual Offender cannot be found or brought to trial the Householder shall be liable to any Fine which might have been imposed upon him in case he had been the actual Offender. Provided always that the amount of every such Fine howsoever recovered from such Householder or voluntarily paid by him may be recovered back by such Householder from the actual Offender in an action for money had and received.

XIX. In event of any Householder failing to pay any fine imposed upon or made recoverable from him under this Ordinance within Ten days from the date of Judgment, it shall be lawful for the Court imposing the Fine by Warrant to direct and authorize a proper Officer to take and receive the rent or rents payable to such householder or any mone Mortagees in possession in respect of any portions of such house until such Fine and the expenses of recovering the same shall have been satisfied and the receipt of such Officer for any such rent or rents shall be a good discharge to the person paying the same as against such Householder and all other Persons whomsoever and any balance remaining of any such rent or rents after satisfying the said Fine and the expenses of recovering, the same shall be returned to such Householder or Mortgee in possession as the case may be.

XX. In every case where personal Service of a Magistrate's Summons against any Householder for any offence under this Ordinance cannot be effected, it shall be sufficient service to affix one copy thereof outside the house in respect of which such offence shall be charged and to leave another, such copy thereof at the Registered address of such Householder and in case such Householder shall not appear according to the exigency of such Summons it shall be lawful for the Magistrate to investigate the charge against such Householder in his absence and to deal with the same in every respect as if such Householder were present.

XXI. Whenever there shall be several Persons "Householders" within the meaning of this Ordinance in respect of the same Building or Tenement by reason of being Tenants in common or joint Tenants or coparteners they shall each be equally liable to the Provisions of this Ordinance as if they held in severally.

XXII. Nothing herein contained shall apply to any Householder not being a Chinese unless a portion of his house be rented by any Chinese.

XXIII. A Register of Servants shall be kept at the Registrar General's Office, and every person who shall at the commencement of this Ordinance, be employed as Servant shall within Thirty Days next thereafter appear personally at the Registrar General's Office and furnish the following particulars to be entered in such Book:—

1st. Name.
2nd. Age.
3rd. Particular capacity in which employed.
4th. Name and address of Employer.
5th. Place of Native Domicile and such other particulars as may from time to time be required of him.

XXIV. Every Person who shall hereafter desire to engage himself as a Servant shall previously appear personally at the Registrar General's office and furnish the particulars mentioned or referred to in the last Section.

XXV. Every Servant employed at the commencement of this Ordinance shall upon complying with the Provisions of Section, and every Person desiring there after to be employed as a Servant shall upon complying with the Provisions of the last Section be entitled to receive from the Registrar General a numbered Certificate of Registration in the form given in the Second Schedule hereto and there shall be first endorsed from time to time upon such Certificate the names of all Persons by whom the holder thereof shall be employed as a Servant.

XXVI. Every Servant shall subject to the Requirements of Section —— deliver his Certificate of Registration to his Master, or Employer, and the said Certificate shall be returned to him duly endorsed by such Master or Employer, whenever the term of service shall expire: Provided always, that if such Servant shall leave his Master or Employer without Permission, or shall so misconduct himself as to be dismissed, then the said Master or Employer shall deliver the Servant's Certificate of Registration to the Registrar General, stating the cause of such Servant leaving his employment.

XXVII. It shall not be lawful for any Person other than a Chinese to engage employ any Servant who shall not be provided with a Certificate of Registration.

XXVIII. It shall not be lawful for any Person to engage himself as a Servant without being provided with a Certificate of Registration.

XXIX. Every Person who shall engage himself after the commencement of this Ordinance, as a Servant, shall within Seven Days thereafter report the same at the Registrar General's Office and produce his Certificate of Registration for the purpose of having the Name of his Employer endorsed thereon and recorded in the said Office.

XXX. Every Person who shall knowingly furnish untrue Particulars to the Registrar General concerning any matter required to be recorded by him under this Ordinance shall be liable to Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour for not less than One and not more than Six Calendar Months, and to a fine either in addition to or in substitution of such Imprisonment of not less than Five Dollars and not more than One hundred Dollars.

XXXI. Every person who shall use or attempt to use any Certificate of Registration which shall not have been duly obtained by him at the Registrar General's Office shall be liable to imprisonment with or without hard labour for not less than one and not more than Six Calendar Months and to a fine either in addition to or in substitution of such Imprisonment of not less than Ten Dollars and not more than One hundred Dollars.

XXXII. Every person violating any of the Provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanour and in all cases not otherwise provided for shall be liable to be fined on Summary Conviction before a Magistrate of Police not more than Thirty Dollars nor less than Five Dollars for each Offence, or in default of payment of such fine or fines to be imprisoned with or without Hard Labor for a period not exceeding One Month nor less than Seven Days.

XXXIII. All Copies or Extracts of or from any Register or Public Record kept in the Registrar General's office for the purpose of this Ordinance and purporting to be sealed with the seal of said Office and to be certified as true Copies or Extracts by the Registrar General shall be received in Evidence in all Courts in the Colony in lieu of the originals.

XXXIV. The several Fees specified in the third Schedule hereto shall be charged in respect of Registration under this Ordinance.

XXXV. The Governor in Council may from time to time alter the Scale of Fees payable under this Ordinance.

XXXVI. The Governor in Council is hereby empowered from time to time to make such Regulations and Bye-Laws as may be deemed necessary for carrying into effect the Provisions of this Ordinance.

(*First Schedule.*)

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION.

This is to certify that [No.] [ ] has been duly registered as a Servant under the Provisions of the Victoria Registration Ordinance 1866.
Special Capacity:
(*List of Employers at the Back.*)

(*Second Schedule.*)

Registration Fee of Owner of a House.....$1.00
Bond by non resident Owner of a House.....$5.00
Registration Fee of Servant.....$0.25
Certified Copies or Extracts from Registrar General's Office 25 cents and for every folio above the first 10 cents.

Police Intelligence, July 27th.

BEFORE J. O. WHYTE Esq.

THE SAILORS' HOME.

James Grosvenor, and Henry Pepper, seamen, inmates of the Sailors' Home, were charged with drunkness and riotous conduct at the "Home" on the 26th instant.

It appears that in consequence of some remarks made by Mr. Whyte, which appeared in our columns a few days ago that the new Superintendent has wisely resolved to put an end to the conduct which caused those remarks. There were a number of men, belonging to the "Home" present, and the magistrate severely censured the general conduct of seamen on shore in Hongkong.

In addressing the defendants, (one of whom was an elderly man trembling in every limb from the effects of drink, and who it appeared from the evidence had been constantly drunk for the last month, and the other who had been in the same state ever since he became an inmate of the home.)

His Worship said, that he was glad to see a number of seamen in the Court belonging to the Home, as he would now give them fair warning that he had the power to send every man brought before him for drunkness at the Sailors' Home, to goal for a month, or until they were shipped, and in future he should exercise that power on every occasion. This colony was distinguished for vice and drunkeness, and the latter offence was chiefly confined to English seamen, the conduct of whom in this colony was enough to make one blush for one's country. He should also cause strict supervison to be held over the Taverns, and if the keeper of any one of them could be proved to have supplied liquor to a man already intoxicated he should immediately take away the license.

VAGABONDS.

Leong-a-chung was brought up as being a suspicious character, seen by P. C. 185 at about three o'clock this morning dodging about doorways in Gilman's bazaar.

Prisoner said he was a coolie, was sick, and couldn't work, and had no home.

Under these circumstances he was committed for fourteen days as a vagabond.

Fuong-a-hoe was caught by P. C. 384 in the act of gambling in Square street. He was well known in court as a vagabond who never worked for his living, so he was sentenced to fourteen days, imprisonment and recommended to return to his native place, at the expiration of that time.

Wong-a-poo, licensed hawker, a tall powerful looking fellow, was brought up by P. C. James Mahoney, for a similar offence.

The magistrate told him that if he would idle away his time, instead of honestly earning his living, he should punish him severely. He should commit him to gaol for one month, with hard labour.

ROBBERY ON BOARD THE S.S. "VISCOUNT CANNING."

Chun-kum-fook, seaman unemployed, was charged with being concerned in the robbery of 615 Ticols of silver from the cabin of Wilmial Boardman, late chief engineer of the S. S. *Viscount Canning*, while that vessel was lying at Bangkok on the 10th of June last.

There was no evidence at all against prisoner who was boatswain of the *Viscount Canning* at the time, and further the magistrate said that he had no jurisdiction in the case as the offence was committed on board a Siamese vessel, and in a Siamese port.

The prisoner was therefore discharged.

ALLEGED ASSAULT.

Su-a-kong was charged with assaulting Kon-a-lum, a married woman, and causing her to lose a silver hair pin, and her gold ear rings valued at $20.75

Kon-a-lum, stated, that the house next door to her own, was a brothel, and that being asleep in her room at about half past seven last evening, she was awoke by hearing a great noise in the brothel, and that presently several men (one of whom was the prisoner,) rushed into her shop making a great noise, she told them to go outside and pushed prisoner, upon which he turned round, and knocked her down, and beat her. She knew the prisoner, by sight. He was formerly in the police force.

Prisoner, on being questioned, allowed that he had been in the water police force, but was discharged a few days ago for being found asleep on duty. He said that he went out to dine with a friend who lived next door to complainant, and that when he was coming down stairs to go away, she was sitting on the step of the door so that he could not pass, he requested her to move, and she began to abuse him, and struck him, so he knocked her down.

Lee-a-kong, a water policeman, brother to defendant, corroborated this.

The case was dismissed.

CHARGE OF STREET ROBBERY.

Abdool Omar, an emaciated looking Indian, far gone in consumption, charged a respectable looking youth named Chow a-chee who is employed as accountant in the Hop-sing tea shop with picking his pocket of four rupees, two annas, in Queen's Road, on the 26th.

Abdool Omar, said that he had lately been a fireman on board the P. & O. steamer *Niphon*, but was discharged through sickness. Yesterday afternoon about four o'clock, he was standing in Queens Road looking in a shop window, when suddenly the prisoner came up and put his hand in complainants' pocket, and took from thence a small box containing four rupees, and two anna pieces. Prisoner then ran away and prosecutor followed, never losing sight of him. He saw him enter a shop, go behind the counter, put the money down on a shelf and deliberately take up a book and commence reading. Prosecutor then went for a constable and had him arrested.

Prisoner stated that he went out yesterday to collect some money for his master; prosecutor followed him home, and came into the shop. Prosecutor went out again and returned with a constable and he was arrested. He know nothing money.

Prosecutor had no witness and said he had no money left, and the Magistrate said that he certainly did not believe a word of his tale. He should discharge the prisoner, and commit the prosecutor to gaol for one month as a vagabond.

Mr W. H. Bell, lessee of the *Daily Press* Printing office, summoned six Portuguese compositors for breach of agreement in leaving their work unfinished before the proper hour. Agreements were produced showing that the working hours were settled to be from seven to ten o'clock A.M. from noon to seven P.M. Mr. Bell stated that he had been in the habit of allowing them to leave early if they had finished their work, but that on the 25th instant he had given orders for certain work to be finished that night, and in spite of this, defendants went away at half past six, half an hour before the time specified in their agreements, leaving their work unfinished. Defendants stated that they were entitled to half an hour (from half past one, to two P.M.) for their tiffin, and as they did not take that time, they left at half-past six.

It appeared in evidence, however, that the half hour for tiffin was a privilege allowed to them which was not in their agreement at all. Also that they had promised when allowed to leave early on some days that they would work late, beyond their contract time when necessary. On the day in question very important work was to be done but nevertheless they left the office before their proper hour.

The Magistrate told them that if they did not choose to go to their tiffin it was no reason they should leave their work half an hour before the proper time, and that they had laid themselves open to imprisonment by so doing.

Mr. Bell stated that they had previously been very troublesome, although he had allowed them many privileges, and he wished now to get rid of them. The Magistrate therefore pronounced their agreements cancelled.

EXPORT CARGOES.

Per Steamer "*Alphea*," from Hongkong, Shanghai and Yokohama.
SILK For Marseilles, ... 697 Bales
" London, ... 392 "
Total ... 1,089 Bales.

Per "*Victoria*," for London:—
975 bags about 59 tons Sugar
56 boxes gre. Wax
25 bales Drugs
270 boxes Cassia
1,000 " Tea (½ chests)
10 " Vermilion
204 " Preserves
92 " Essential Oils
14 packages of Sundries
2 " Silk
1 Bale Hemp
922 Bales Cotton

Per "*Bosworth*," for London, July 23rd.:—
Rice, ... 10,945 bags each 50lbs.
Peas, ... 745 "
Oil, ... 1,925 boxes
Tea, ... 1,470 ½-chests
Fire crackers, ... 99 packages, each 6lbs.
Opium, ... 48 boxes each 50lbs.
Silk, ... 8 "
Gunny Bags, ... 655 bales
Quicksilver, ... 1,070 flasks
Chowchow cargo, 2,358 packages
Passengers 20.

Shanghai Latest Quotations.

Shanghai, July, 24th, 1866.

EXCHANGE:—
ON LONDON.—Bank 6m/s, 6s. 2d. a 6s. 2¼d. per Tael
Credits, 6m/s 6s. 2½d. a 6s. 4d. "
Bills with Doct., 6m/s 6s. 5d. "
ON PARIS.—Credits, 6m/s, 8.00 "
Documentary, Do, 8.10 "
ON CALCUTTA.—Bank 3 days' sight, Rs. 203 per 100 Taels. } nominal.
ON BOMBAY.—Bank 3 days'
ON HONGKONG.—Bank, 3d/s. 27¾ disct.
Private 15 d/s. 28 disct.
BULLION:—
Gold Bars, Pekin.—Taels 165 per bar of Taels 10 weight.
Mexican Dollars.—Taels 72.25
Carolus Do., Taels 71.4
Copper Cash.—1,340 per Tael.
FREIGHTS:—
To LONDON.—Tea £3.0.0 per Ton.

COMMERCIAL POSTSCRIPT.

Hongkong, 28th July 1866.

OPIUM.—Patna, cash, new, $630, sales.
Benares, cash, $610, sales.
Malwa, cash, $875.
Seventh sales Patna, New $637½ to $640, sales
Market firm.

COTTON.—Japan, none. Ningpo, $21 to $26¼, Shanghai, &c., $21 to $24, Bengal $21 to $23.

RICE.—Bengal and Manila, none, Siam, Saigon, Rangoon, &c., $2 10 to $2.50.

EXCHANGE.—Bank Bills on Calcutta at 3 days' sight, 218 Rs., at 10 days' sight, 219 Rs. quoted. On Bombay at 3 days' sight, 218 Rs., at 10 days' sight, 219 Rs. quoted. On London at 6 months' sight, 4/6¾ quoted.

GOLD LEAF.—$23.40 quoted.

SYCEE.—8¾ per cent premium. Bar Silver 11 per cent premium.

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Co's Shares 2 per cent. discount, quoted.

Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co's Shares 4 per cent. premium Old, 30 per cent. premium. New quoted.

Hongkong Gas Company's Shares 15 per cent. premium.—sales.

Union Dock Company's Shares 8 per cent discount,—sales.

Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamer Company's Shares.—5 per cent discount.—sales.

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Apply to Mr. BELL, *Daily Press* Office.
Hongkong, 19th May, 1866.

Vessels on

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5th. Place of Native Domicile and such other particulars as may from time to time be required of him.

XXIV. Every Person who shall hereafter desire to engage himself as a Servant shall previously appear personally at the Registrar General's office and furnish the particulars mentioned or referred to in the last Section.

XXV. Every Servant employed at the commencement of this Ordinance shall upon complying with the Provisions of Section, and every Person desiring there after to be employed as a Servant shall upon complying with the Provisions of the last Section be entitled to receive from the Registrar General a numbered Certificate of Registration in the form given in the Second Schedule hereto and there shall be first endorsed from time to time upon such Certificate the names of all Persons by whom the holder thereof shall be employed as a Servant.

XXVI. Every Servant shall subject to the Requirements of Section —— deliver his Certificate of Registration to his Master, or Employer, and the said Certificate shall be returned to him duly endorsed by such Master or Employer, whenever the term of service shall expire: Provided always, that if such Servant shall leave his Master or Employer without Permission, or shall so misconduct himself as to be dismissed, then the said Master or Employer shall deliver the Servant's Certificate of Registration to the Registrar General, stating the cause of such Servant leaving his employment.

XXVII. It shall not be lawful for any Person other than a Chinese to engage any Servant who shall not be provided with a Certificate of Registration.

XXVIII. It shall not be lawful for any Person to engage himself as a Servant without being provided with a Certificate of Registration.

XXIX. Every Person who shall engage himself after the commencement of this Ordinance, as a Servant, shall within Seven Days thereafter report the same at the Registrar General's Office and produce his Certificate of Registration for the purpose of having the Name of his Employer entered thereon and recorded in the said Office.

XXX. Every Person who shall knowingly furnish untrue Particulars to the Registrar General concerning any matter required to be recorded by him under this Ordinance shall be liable to Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour for not less than One and not more than Six Calendar Months, and to a fine either in addition to or in substitution of such Imprisonment of not less than Five Dollars and not more than One hundred Dollars.

XXXI. Every person who shall use or attempt to use any Certificate of Registration which shall not have been duly obtained by him at the Registrar General's Office shall be liable to imprisonment with or without hard labour for not less than one and not more than Six Calendar Months and to a fine either in addition to or in substitution of such Imprisonment of not less than Ten Dollars and not more than One hundred Dollars.

XXXII. Every person violating any of the Provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanour and in all cases not otherwise provided for shall be liable to be fined on Summary Conviction before a Magistrate of Police not more than Thirty Dollars nor less than Five Dollars for each Offence, or in default of payment of such fine or fines to be imprisoned with or without Hard Labour for a period not exceeding One Month nor less than Seven Days.

XXXIII. All Copies or Extracts of or from any Register or Public Record kept in the Registrar General's office for the purpose of this Ordinance and purporting to be sealed with the seal of the said Office and to be certified as true Copies or Extracts by the Registrar General shall be received in Evidence in all Courts in the Colony in lieu of the originals.

XXXIV. The several Fees specified in the third Schedule hereto shall be charged in respect of Registration under this Ordinance.

XXXV. The Governor in Council may from time to time alter the Scale of Fees payable under this Ordinance.

XXXVI. The Governor in Council is hereby empowered from time to time to make such Regulations and Bye-Laws as may be deemed necessary for carrying into effect the Provisions of this Ordinance.

(First Schedule.)

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION.
[No.]

This is to certify that [ ] has been duly registered as a Servant under the Provisions of the Victoria Registration Ordinance 1866.
Special Capacity:
(List of Employers at the Back.)

(Second Schedule.)

Registration Fee of Owner of a House,....$1.00
Bond by non resident Owner of a House,....$5.00
Registration Fee of Servant..........$0.25
Certified Copies or Extracts from Registrar General's Office 25 cents and for every folio above the first 10 cents.

Police Intelligence, July 27th.

BEFORE J. C. WHYTE ESQ.

THE SAILORS' HOME.

James Grosvenor, and Henry Pepper, seamen, inmates of the Sailors' Home, were charged with drunkenness and riotous conduct at the "Home" on the 26th instant.

It appears that in consequence of some remarks made by Mr. Whyte, which appeared in our columns a few days ago that the new Superintendent has wisely resolved to put an end to the conduct which caused those remarks. There were a number of men, belonging to the "Home" present, and the magistrate severely censured the general conduct of seamen on shore in Hongkong.

In addressing the defendants, (one of whom was an elderly man trembling in every limb from the effects of drink, and who it appeared from the evidence had been constantly drunk for the last month, and the other who had been in the same state ever since he became an inmate of the home.)

His Worship said, that he was glad to see a number of seamen in the Court belonging to the Home, as he would now give them fair warning that he had the power to send every man brought before him for drunkenness at the Sailors' Home, to goal for a month, or until they were shipped, and in future he should exercise that power on every occasion. This colony was distinguished for vice and drunkenness, and the latter offence was chiefly confined to English seamen, the conduct of whom in this colony was enough to make one blush for one's country. He should also cause strict supervision to be held over the Taverns, and if the keeper of any one of them could be proved to have supplied liquor to a man already intoxicated he should immediately take away the license.

VAGABONDS.

Leong-a-chung was brought up as being a suspicious character, seen by P. C. 185 at about three o'clock this morning dodging about doorways in Gilman's bazaar.

Prisoner said he was a coolie, was sick, and could not work, and had no home.

Under these circumstances he was committed for fourteen days as a vagabond.

Foong-a-hee was caught by P. C. 384 in the act of gambling in Square street. He was well known in court as a vagabond who never worked for his living, so he was sentenced to fourteen days, imprisonment and recommended to return to his native place, at the expiration of that time.

Wong-a-poo, licensed hawker, a tall powerful looking fellow was brought up by P. C. James Mahoney for a similar offence.

The magistrate told him that if he would idle away his time, instead of honestly earning his living, he should punish him severely. He should commit him to gaol for one month, with hard labour.

ROBBERY ON BOARD THE S.S. "VISCOUNT CANNING."

Chun-kum-fook, seaman unemployed, was charged with being concerned in the robbery of 515 Taels of silver from the cabin of Wimiai Boardman, late chief engineer of the S. S. *Viscount Canning*, while that vessel was lying at Bangkok on the 10th of June last.

There was no evidence at all against prisoner who was boatswain of the *Viscount Canning* at the time, and further the magistrate said that he had no jurisdiction in the case, as the offence was committed on board a Siamese vessel, and in a Siamese port.

The prisoner was therefore discharged.

ALLEGED ASSAULT.

Su-a-kong was charged with assaulting Kon-a-lum, a married woman, and causing her to lose a silver hair pin, and her gold ear-rings valued at $20.75

Kon-a-lum, stated, that the house next door to her own, was a brothel, and that being asleep in her room at about half past seven last evening, she was awoke by hearing a great noise in the brothel, and that presently several men (one of whom was the prisoner,) rushed into her shop making a great noise, she told them to go outside and pushed prisoner, upon which he turned round, and knocked her down, and beat her. She knew the prisoner, by sight. He was formerly in the police force.

Prisoner, on being questioned, allowed that he had been in the water police force, but was discharged a few days ago for being found asleep on duty. He said that he went out to dine with a friend who lived next door to complainant, and that when he was coming down stairs to go away, she was sitting on the step of the door so that he could not pass, he requested her to move; and she began to abuse him, and struck him, so he knocked her down.

Lee-a-kong, a water policeman, brother to defendant, corroborated this.

The case was dismissed

CHARGE OF STREET ROBBERY.

Abdool Omar, an emaciated looking Indian, far gone in consumption, charged a respectable looking youth named Chow a-chee who is employed as accountant in the Hop-sing tea shop with picking his pocket of four rupees, two annas, in Queen's road, on the 26th.

Abdool Omar, said that he had lately been a fireman on board the P. & O. steamer *Niphon*, but was discharged through sickness. Yesterday afternoon about four o'clock, he was standing in Queens Road looking in a shop window, when suddenly the prisoner came up and put his hand in complainants' pocket, and took from thence a small box containing four rupees, and two anna pieces. Prisoner then ran away and prosecutor followed, never losing sight of him. He saw him enter a shop, go behind the counter, put the money down on a shelf and deliberately take up a book and commence reading. Prosecutor then went for a constable and had him arrested.

Prisoner stated that he went out yesterday to collect some money for his master; prosecutor followed him home, and came into the shop. Prosecutor went out again and returned with a constable and he was arrested. He knew nothing money.

Prosecutor had no witness and said he had no money left, and the Magistrate said that he certainly did not believe a word of his tale. He should discharge the prisoner, and commit the prosecutor to gaol for one month as a vagabond.

Mr W. H. Bell, lessee of the *Daily Press* Printing office, summoned six Portuguese compositors for breach of agreement in leaving their work unfinished before the proper hour. Agreements were produced showing that the working hours were settled to be from seven to ten o'clock A.M. from noon to seven P.M. Mr. Bell stated that he had been in the habit of allowing them to leave early if they had finished their work, but that on the 25th. instant he had given orders for certain work to be finished that night, and in spite of this, defendants went away at half past six, half an hour before the time specified in their agreements, leaving their work unfinished. Defendants stated that they were entitled to half an hour (from half past one, to two P.M.) for their tiffin, and as they did not take that time, they left at half-past six.

It appeared in evidence, however, that the half hour for tiffin was a privilege allowed to them which was not in their agreement at all. Also that they had promised when allowed to leave early on some days that they would work late, beyond their contract time when necessary. On the day in question very important work was to be done but nevertheless they left the office before their proper hour.

The Magistrate told them that if they did not choose to go to their tiffin it was no reason they should leave their work half an hour before the proper time, and that they had laid themselves open to imprisonment by so doing.

Mr. Bell stated that they had previously been very troublesome, although he had allowed them many privileges, and that he wished now to get rid of them. The Magistrate therefore pronounced their agreements cancelled.

EXPORT CARGOES

Per Steamer "*Alphee*," from Hongkong, Shanghai and Yokohama.
SILK For Marseilles, ... 607 Bales
" London, ... 302 "
Total, ...1,089 Bales.

Per "*Victoria*," for London:—
975 bags about 50 tons Sugar
56 boxes yve. Wax
25 bales Drugs
270 boxes Cassia
1,000 " Tea (½chests)
10 " Vermillion
204 " Preserves
52 " Essential Oils
14 packages of Sundries
2 " Silk
1 Bale Hemp
922 Bales Cotton

Per "*Bosworth*," for London, July 23rd.:—
Rice, ... 10,945 bags each 50lbs.
Peas, ... 745 " "
Oil, ... 1,925 boxes
Tea, ... 1,470 ½-chests
Fire crackers, ... 99 packages, each 6bxs.
Opium, ... 48 boxes each 50lbs.
Silk, ... 8
Gunny Bags, ... 665 bales
Quicksilver, ... 1,070 flasks
Chowchow cargo, 2,358 packages
Passengers 20.

Shanghai Latest Quotations.

Shanghai, July. 21st, 1866.

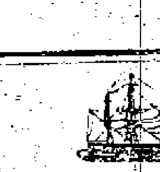
EXCHANGE:—
ON LONDON.—Bank 6m/s. 6s. 2d. a 6s. 2½d. per Tael
Credits, 6m/s 6s. 2½d. a 6s. 4d.
Bills with Doct., 6m./s 6s 5d.
ON PARIS.—Credits, 6m/s, 8.00
Documentary, Do, 8.10
ON CALCUTTA.—Bank 3 days' sight, Rs. 298 per 100 Taels. } nominal.
ON BOMBAY—Bank 3 days'
ON HONGKONG—Bank. 3d/s. 27½ disct.
Private 15 d/s. 28 disct.
BULLION:—
Gold Bars, Pekin.—Taels 165 per bar of Taels 10 weight.
Mexican Dollars.—Taels 72.25
Carolus Do. Taels 71.4
Copper Cash.—1,340 per Tael.
FREIGHTS:—
To LONDON.—Tea £3.0.0 per Ton.

COMMERCIAL POSTSCRIPT.

Hongkong, 28th July, 1866.

OPIUM.—Patna, cash, new. $630, sales.
Benares, cash, $610, sales.
Malwa, cash, $875.
Setembolos, Patna, New $637½ to $640, sales Market firm.
COTTON.—Japan, none. Ningpo. $24 to $26½. Shanghai, &c., $21 to $24. Bengal $21 to $23.
RICE.—Bengal and Manila, none. Siam, Saigon, Rangoon, &c., $2 10 to $2.50.
EXCHANGE.—Bank Bills on Calcutta at 3 days' sight, 218 Rs., at 10 days' sight, 219 Rs. quoted. On Bombay at 3 days' sight, 218 Rs., at 10 days' sight, 219 Rs., quoted. On London at 6 months' sight, 4/6¼ quoted.
GOLD LEAF.—$23.40 quoted.
SYCEE.—8½ per cent premium. Bar Silver 11 per cent premium.
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Co's Shares 2 per cent. discount, quoted.
Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co's Shares 4½ per cent. premium Old, 30 per cent. premium, New quoted.
Hongkong Gas Company's Shares 15 per cent. premium.—sales.
Union Dock Company's Shares 8 per cent discount.—sales.
Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamer Company's Shares.—5 per cent discount.—sales.

THE TOURISTS' GUIDE, IN POCKET FORM,
Containing the names of all the Articles of Trade, objects of Natural History, Furniture, &c., &c., with the Punti, and Mandarin Pronounciation; Price $2.50.
Also a few copies of the GRAMMAR of the Chinese Language, in two Parts.
Apply to Mr. BELL, *Daily Press* Office.
Hongkong, 19th May, 1866.



Vessels on the Berth.

FOR SHANGHAI.
THE Steamer "SUWONADA," Capt. Jayne, will be dispatched To-day, the 30th inst., at 2 P.M.
For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
1d 1601 Hongkong, July 27, 1866.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
THE A 1 Hamburg Clipper-barque "PERLE," Feddersen, Master, having part of her cargo engaged will have quick despatch for the above port.
For Freight or Passage, apply to BOSMAN & Co.
tf 1602 Hongkong, 27th July, 1866.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
THE A 1 Prussian Clipper ship "DER WEST." Captain Pust, will have early dispatch as above.
For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.
1m 1594 Hongkong, 26th July, 1866.

FOR BOMBAY.
THE A 1 British ship "VENILIA." Captain Pavey, of 674 tons Register, will have quick dispatch.
For Freight or Passage, apply to ALFRED WILKINSON & Co.
tf 1598 Hongkong, 26th July, 1866.

FOR NINGPO & SHANGHAI.
THE Hamburg Steamer "CHINA," Captain Muller, will load at Canton and here, and meet with quick dispatch for the above places.
For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.
tf 1597 Hongkong, 26th July, 1866.

FOR SAIGON.
THE A 1 British barque "JOAN CUNLLO," J. Jones, Master, having the greater portion of her cargo already on board, will meet with quick dispatch as above.
For Freight or Passage apply to LANDSTEIN & Co.
7d 1593 Hongkong, 26th July, 1866.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
THE A 1 Hamburg Clipper barque "SARAH MARIA," Captain Gode, will have quick dispatch for the above port
For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co
tf 1576 Hongkong, 24th July, 1866.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, MAURITIUS AND LONDON.
(After discharging at the last named port, the vessel will proceed to Liverpool.)
THE Steam-ship "AGAMEMNON," Captain Middleton, will be dispatched for the above mentioned places, on or about THURSDAY, the 9th August.
Cargo will be taken for Belfast, Dublin, Glasgow, Montreal, Halifax, and New York, and through Bills of Lading given.
For particulars regarding passage and freight, apply to BIRLEY & Co.
tf 1559 Hongkong, 21st July, 1866.

FOR NAGASAKI.
THE British Ship "WILLIAM MITCHELL," will be dispatched for the above port, on the 1st August.
For Freight or Passage apply to DENT & Co.
12d 1553 Hongkong, 21st July, 1866.

FOR BANGKOK.
THE British 3-masted Schooner "FAIRY," will have quick dispatch.
For freight, &c., apply to JOHNSON & Co.
tf 1537 Hongkong, 20th July, 1866.

FOR NAGASAKI.
THE A 1 British barque "KWANG FOONG," Head, Master, of 6,000 piculs carrying capacity, will have quick dispatch for the above port.
For Freight or Passage apply to BOURJAU, HUBENER & Co.
tf 1127 Hongkong, 5th July, 1866.

FOR LONDON. Calling at the Cape.
THE A 1 British barque "DON RICARDO," Captain Jeffry, of 289 tons Register, will have quick dispatch.
For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
tf 1411 Hongkong, 3rd July, 1866.

FOR BOMBAY.
THE A 1 British barque "BRIDE," of 472 tons Register, will have immediate despatch as above.
For Freight apply to EDMUND R. HOLMES, *Broker*.
tf 1356 Hongkong, 27th June, 1866.

FOR MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY.
THE A 1 Clipper-ship "BRITON," 510 Tons Register, David Fleming, master, will have despatch as above.
For Freight or Passage apply to PARKER & Co.
tf 1178 Hongkong, 7th June, 1866.

For Freight or Charter.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. (Colonies preferred.)
THE Clipper barque "JOAN CUNLLO," 208 tons Register.
Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 1303 Hongkong, 21st June, 1866.

FOR SALE, FREIGHT OR CHARTER.
THE A 1 fast sailing Baltimore Clipper barque "T. E. BOYD." of 278 Tons Register, newly coppered and in excellent order.
Apply to DENT & Co.
tf 1554 Hongkong, 21st July, 1866.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.
THE A 1 British Ship "MARY MILDRED," Captain C. J. Fine, of 10,000 piculs carrying capacity.
Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
tf 1373 Hongkong, 30th June, 1866.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.
THE A 1 Clipper Schooner "E. W. SEYBURN," 6,000 piculs carrying capacity.
Apply to ADAM SCOTT & Co.
tf 1231 Hongkong, 14th June, 1866.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.
THE A 1 Dutch Ship "OCEANUS," of 1158 Tons Register,
Apply to DENT & Co.
tf 1288 Hongkong, 19th June, 1866.

H. STUART & Co. HARBOUR PILOTS, STEVEDORES, RIGGERS, AND DIVERS.
BEG to inform Masters of Vessels, that they undertake work in all the above branches with quickness and dispatch.
Ships Bottoms thoroughly examined and repaired. Orders punctually attended to on the shortest notice.
H. STUART & Co., 8, Scott Lane.
6m 1540 Hongkong, 20th July, 1866.

NOW LANDING EX *GRESHAM*.
GENUINE MONTEBELLO CHAMPAGNE. THOS. HUNT & Co.
1m 1524 Hongkong, 13th July, 1866.

JUST received, and for Sale, by the undersigned, Superior Refined KEROSINE OIL. DE SILVER & Co.
tf 1152 Hongkong, 5th June, 1866.

Vessels Loading.

Destination	Vessel's Name	Captain	At	For Freight apply to	To be Dispatched
LONDON	Don Ricardo	Jeffry	Hongkong	D. Lapraik	Quick dispatch.
S'PORE P'ANG, M'TIUS & L'DON	Agamemnon str	Middleton	Hongkong	Birley & Co.	On or about 9th August
MELBOURNE & SYDNEY	Briton	Fleming	Hongkong	Parker & Co	Quick dispatch.
SAN FRANCISCO	Sarah Maria	Gode	Hongkong	Augustine Heard & Co	Quick dispatch
Do	Der West	Pust	Hongkong	Russell & Co	Quick dispatch
Do	Perle	Feddersen	Hongkong	Bosman & Co	Quick dispatch
BOMBAY	Bride	Gibson	Hongkong	Edmund Holmes	Quick dispatch
Do	Venilia	Pavey	Hongkong	Alfred Wilkinson	Quick dispatch
SAIGON	Joan Cunllo	J. Jones	Hongkong	Landstein & Co	Quick dispatch
BANGKOK	Fairy	Cuming	Hongkong	Johnson & Co	Quick dispatch.
NAGASAKI	Kwang Foong	Head	Hongkong	Bourjau Hubener & Co	Quick dispatch.
Do	William Mitchell	Potter	Hongkong	Dent & Co	On the 1st August.
NINGPO & SHANGHAI	China, (str.)	Muller	Hongkong	Siemssen & Co	Quick dispatch.
SHANGHAI	Suwonada (str.)	Jayne	Hongkong	Augustine Heard & Co	To-day, at 2 P.M.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.
THE Portuguese Schooner "ST. VICENTE FERREIRA," of 2,100 piculs carrying capacity.
For particulars apply to W. PUSTAU & Co.
tf 1101 Hongkong, 3rd July, 1866.

Ex *Northfleet*, *Punjaub*, and *Dunmail*.
SAYLE, PEACOCK & Co. Have Received
Portmanteaus, Overland Trunks, Carpet and Leather Bags, Printed Cotton Shirtings, Glengarry Caps, Plain Coloured Flannels for Suits, Printed Flannels for Shirts, and Sleeping Suits.
tf 1293 Hongkong, 19th June, 1866.

SAYLE, PEACOCK & CO. VICTORIA EXCHANGE. and at 20, Szechuen Road, Shanghai.
Have just received per mail steamers, and have now open for inspection
HATS.
A LARGE assortment of Ladies' Straw, Leghorn, and Tuscan Trimmed Hats, in the newest shapes and Colors.
BONNETS.
A CHOICE Selection of the latest Novelties in Tulle and other Bonnets. French and English.
HEAD DRESSES,
A RICH assortment of the newest style in Head Dresses, in Velvet, Flowers, Feathers, &c. Also a new supply of French and English Flowers for the Hair.
SHAWLS, MANTLES, &c.,
A LARGE Stock of Black Lace Shawls, and Bernous in French and Spanish Lace $8 to $50 Also a well selected stock of Muslin and Lace Garibaldi's in the newest shapes.
tf 1100 Hongkong, 31st May, 1866.

PER MAIL STEAMER *DONNAI*.
A LARGE assortment of Ladies' Dresses.
Printed Muslin and Organdi.
Plain do do
Muslin Bagadères, of the latest Paris fashion.
Fine French Fans.
Very handsome new fancy Petticoats.
Mourning Jewellery of all descriptions.
Chignons.
Fine assortment of Gentlemen's and Ladies' French Boots.
ADRE. BOYER.
tf 1115 Hongkong, 1st June, 1866.

Just landed ex *Punjaub* and *Dunmail*.
PEACOCK'S composition.
Hubbuck's boiled Oil, in drums and wood.
Hubbuck's Saw Oil in Drums
Hubbuck's best assorted Paints
Paint Brushes, assorted sizes
Mastshoops and Hanks
Galvanized Thimbles and Claws, &c., &c.
Deck Scrubbing Brushes
Repairing and other Canvas
Bunting of assorted cols
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1261 Hongkong, 16th June, 1866.

EX *GRESHAM*.
STATIONERY. Cabinets; Perry's, Gillott's and Mitchell's Pens; Brief, Foolscap and other Papers and Envelopes; Walkden's Inks, Rodger's Penknives and Scissors, Roger's Paint Boxes, Hendries' Perfumes and Rimmel's Rose Water; Crackers, Magic Photographs, Overland Trunks and Small Portmanteaus; Sangster's Umbrellas and Walking Sticks; Cambric Handkerchiefs, Gentlemen's Silk Socks and Undershirts; Black, Coloured and White Neck Ties; Horrock's Long Cloths, Sheetings, Counterpanes, &c.; Ladies' Hair Nets, Printed Cambrics and Muslins for Dresses, Crinolines, Black Silk and Crape, Crochet Edgings. D'Oyleys, Antimacassars, and Berlin Wool Work.
&c. &c. &c.
S. W. BAKER & Co.
2w 1574 Hongkong, 24th July, 1866.

EX *GRESHAM*.
GLASS SHADES, in all sizes, round and oval. S. W. BAKER & Co.
2w 1575 Hongkong, 24th July, 1866.

ONE FRENCH BILLIARD TABLE, (Laroque & Co.), for sale. For particulars apply to H. W. HOHNHOLZ. *Continental Hotel, Praya* 24.
tf 1600 Hongkong, July 26, 1866.

Ex *Melbreck*, *Gresham*, and other arrivals.
COTTON WASTE, (white and coloured)
GRIND STONES, assorted sizes.
100 dozen HENNESSEY'S BRANDY.
Fresh Hamburg BEEF and PORK, in barrels
SPLIT PEAS, in one cwt. casks,
NAUTICAL ALMANACKS, for 1867.
Hubbuck's boiled OIL in drums and casks.
PAINTS &c., &c. TALBOT & Co.
2w A1571 Hongkong, 24th July, 1866.

JUST RECEIVED.
A SMALL INVOICE OF PURE SPIRITS OF WINE. THOS. HUNT & Co.
1m 1522 Hongkong, 12th July, 1866.

JUST RECEIVED.
Per Mail Steamer *Delhi*, and other late Arrivals.
LADIES' Trimmed HATS
CRINOLINES, newest shapes
Fashionable BELTS and BUCKLES
Fancy COMBS for the Hair
JET BROOCHES and EAR-RINGS
White Muslin JACKETS
LACE SHAWLS
Linen and Paper COLLARS for Gentlemen, in the newest shapes.
Turkish TOWELS in all sizes
Lace and Muslin CURTAINS
ANTIMACASSARS
UMBRELLAS
LONG-CLOTHS and Yorkshire SHIRTINGS, &c., &c., &c.
H. MARSH & Co
tf 1350 Hongkong, 27th June, 1866.

FOR SALE.
A VERY commodious HOUSE, delightfully situated on Bishop's Bay, having a nice and spacious Garden; Outhouses, &c.
For particulars apply to C. J. DA SILVA, *No. 3, S. Lourenço.*
1m 1462 Macao, 10th July, 1866.

IRON BUOYS FOR SALE.
TWO Iron Channel BUOYS, length 10 feet, diameter 8 feet 6 inches, and weighing each about 2,600 lbs.
Apply to RUSSELL & Co.
tf 1236 Hongkong, 15th June, 1866.

Received ex *Scawfell*.
100 CASES De Sissy's Celebrated DRY CHAMPAGNE, "Carte Blanche." DE SILVER & Co.
tf 1432 Hongkong, 5th July, 1866.

FOR SALE.
A PARK PHAETON
A CHESTNUT ARAB 13 hands.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
1m 1609 Hongkong, 28th July, 1866.

FOR SALE.
A SAW MILL Complete with veatical and circular Saws extra, Brasses &c.. Will be sold a bargain.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
1m 1611 Hongkong, 28th July, 1866.

FOR SALE.
FIRST Class Rangoon TEAK PLANKS of Sizes. Apply to P. & A. C. CAMAJEE & Co.
tf 1606 Hongkong, 27th July, 1866.

FOR SALE.
THE BOILERS, ENGINES and SPARE GEAR of the Screw Steamer *Luzon*, built by A. & J. Inglis, of Glasgow, in June, 1861 Daily expected to arrive per *Shen Shih* from Manila. For particulars apply to PHILLIPS, MOORE & Co.
tf 1463 Hongkong, 10th July, 1866.

For Sale.

FOR SALE, FROM FORMOSA.
THE Undersigned has now for Sale CAMPHOR of the best quality, from Formosa.
E SHING HOP KEE. West Point.
4w 1499 Hongkong, 16th July, 1866.

EX *MELBREK*, &c.
HENNESSY'S BRANDY, in 1 dozen cases
PARCELLING CANVAS
TARPAULING do
GENTLEMEN'S TOOL CHESTS
DOG COLLARS, (Brass and Leather) all sizes, with PADLOCKS attached
PATENT COFFEE MACHINES
LEAD PIPE, 2, 2¼, 2½, 2¾, 3 and 3¼ inches.
BOWRA & Co.
1m 1391 Hongkong, 2nd July, 1866.

Now landing Ex "*Devana*."
IRISH Prime Mess Pork.
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
1260 Hongkong, 16th June, 1866.

A GREY ARAB HORSE, quiet and used to the Colony. Fit for single or double harness.
Apply by letter to ALPHA, *Daily Press* Office.
Hongkong, 19th June, 1866.

PER MAIL STEAMER "*RANGOON*."
MESSRS. MARSH & Co., invite the attention of the Public to their large assortment of Fashionable Goods, just received from the best Paris and London Houses, viz:—
Ladies' Bonnets
Ladies' Hats, Trimmed and Untrimmed
Pretty Muslin Jackets
Feathers
Lace Shawls
Fancy Dresses in Grenadine, Gauze, and Barège, all prices
Muslin Shawls
Muslin Dresses
Jupons
Jet Earings, Brooches, and Cactiepeignes
Ladies' Boots
tf 804 Hongkong, 23rd April, 1866.

INLAND LOTS Nos. 148 and 578, with the residence known as "Rose Hill," with extensive Stables and Outbuildings having a frontage of 170 feet upon Caine Road, and extending through to Robinson Road. 475 feet in depth, giving as area of upwards of 80,000 feet.
Apply to RUSSELL & Co.
tf 248 Hongkong, 7th February, 1866.

NOW LANDING AND FOR SALE.
Ex *Valdivia* and *Dunmail*.
GUINNESS' STOUT, bottled by Burke, in Dublin, in quarts and pints
Bass's Pale Ale in quarts and pints
Bass's Pale Ale, October brew, in Hogsheads and Kilderkins
Barclay and Perkins' stout in Hogsheads
Hennessy's Brandy
Duff and Gordon's Sherry
Superior Old Port
Prime Wiltshire Cheese, prime York Hams, fine breakfast Bacon
New split Peas in barrels
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1256 Hongkong, 16th June, 1866.

FOR SALE A Set of Double PONY HARNESS very complete, and handsome, best London make, Price $50.
Apply to L. J. DA SILVA, Office of this Paper.
tf 2758 Hongkong, 8th November, 1865.

FOR IMMEDIATE SALE.
TWO Grey Arab HORSES for harness or Saddle, and quite sound, to be seen at the Central Bank Stables.
tf 1313 Hongkong, 21st June, 1866.

NOW LANDING AND FOR SALE.
MANILA Rope, assorted sizes, from 5½ in downward.
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1259 Hongkong, 16th June, 1866.

A SMALL Invoice of Choice Genuine HAVANA CIGARS.
Regalia de la Reyna Flor.
do. do. do. Fina.
Media Regalia Flor.
do. do. Fina.
Conchas Flor.
Conchas Flor Fina.
Also
Choice Cavite and Manila Cigars.
Imperiales, Cabelleras, Regalias & Londres.
No. 1, Cavite Cigars, in Boxes of 250,
No. 2 do. do. in Boxes of 500, of 1863, 1864, and 1865.
No. 3, 4 and 5 Cigars, in Boxes of 500.
No. 1 Cavite Cheroots, in Boxes of 250.
No. 2 Cavite Cheroots, in Boxes of 500 of 1864 and 1865.
No. 2 Manila Cigars and Cheroots of 1861, 1863, 1864, and 1865.
No. 3 Manila Cheroots of 1863 and 1865.
Apply to A. L. AGABEG, Jr. No. 71 Wellington Street, Upstairs,
1y 2704 Hongkong, 1st November, 1865.

FOR SALE,
Ex *Valdivia* and *Scawfell*.
SUPERIOR CHAMPAGNE, in quarts and pints viz:—
Eugene Clicquot, first quality.
De St. Marceaux & Co.
Duc de Montebello,
HESSE & Co.
tf 1342 Hongkong, 28th June, 1866.

RECEIVED BY LAST MAIL.
RANGOLASSES,
A fine assortment of superior JEWELLERY for Ladies and Gentlemen, by Walsham; and Mathews and Peak, London.
C. HOHSHSTETTER, Queen's Road.
tf 272 Hongkong, 10th February, 1866.

FOR SALE,
THE well known old established house, NEMESIS TAVERN, situated in Queen's Road, and doing a first-rate business, with Goodwill, Stock and Trade fixtures, &c. The whole to be sold at a bargain on account of the present proprietor retiring from business. If not disposed of privately the same will be offered by Public Sale on a day hereafter to be mentioned. For particulars apply on the premises.
tf 1035 Hongkong, 23rd May, 1866.

PATHAM'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases
" SHERRY " "
" PORT " 2 "
" CLARET " 1 "
BIRLEY & Co.

FOR SALE.
CHARTS (latest edition) of the China Seas, Coast, and the Rice Ports. Barometers, Massey's and Walker's Patent Logs, Rutter's Exchange Tables,
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
tf 782 Hongkong, 20th April, 1866.

FOR SALE.
Ex *Scawfell*.
BASS' ALE in Hhds.
BASS' ALE in Kilderkins.
BASS' ALE, in quarts and pints.
BARCLAY'S PORTER in quarts and pints.
GUINNESS' EXTRA STOUT, in quarts and pints.
HENNESSY'S BRANDY.
MARTELL'S BRANDY.
DUFF and GORDON'S SHERRY.
CHILLINGSWORTH'S PALE SHERRY, in 3 dozen cases.
FINE OLD PORT.
CHAMPAGNE, in 1 dozen cases.
SWAIN BOORD & Co.'s ORANGE BITTERS.
Assorted 2-lbs tins SOUPS and MEATS.
RAY & Co.
tf 1485 Hongkong, 13th July, 1866.

A PAIR of Manila PONIES, quiet in single or double Harness.
Apply at the Stables, at the rear of the Portuguese Consulate, Hollywood Road.
14t 1514 Hongkong, 17th July, 1866.

For Sale

FOR SALE.
TWO Patent COTTON GINS. For particulars apply to ADAM SCOTT & Co.
tf 1103 Hongkong, 31st May, 1866.

FOR SALE,
A SMALL assortment of GARDEN TOOLS as, Grass, Branch, and Garden Shears, Rakes, Hoes, Edging Knives, Garden Forks, Flower Pot Stands, &c. RAY & Co.
tf 590 Hongkong, 28th March, 1866.

120 Cases Messrs. R. Heatley's & Son Port Sherry and Brandy.
Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 1398 Hongkong 15th July 1865.

FOR SALE.
EX *Benefactor*.
Sill's Butter in 14-lbs. Kegs.
Prime Sugar Cured Hams.
RAY & Co.
tf 1195 Hongkong, 8th June, 1866.

MANILA CIGARS AND CHEROOTS.
FOR SALE, RETAIL.
CERTIFIED CAVITES, CHEROOTS AND CIGARS. Very Superior and in prime condition.
per Box of 500,......$8
SUPERIOR GOVERNMENT CIGARS AND CHEROOTS. November make in prime condition.
per Box of 500,......$6,50
Apply to L. J. DA SILVA.
1452 Hongkong, 22nd May, 1865.

EX "*SATELLITE*"
950 JAVA TEAK WOOD BEAMS, measuring from 10 @ 34 feet long, and 7@ 14 inches Square.
For further particulars, apply JOHNSON & Co.
tf 2864 Hongkong, 25th November, 1865.

AN invoice of Mineral Water (Roisdoefer) Cognac in Barrels and Cases; and Claret.
Apply to MARGESSON & Co.
tf 718 Hongkong, 13th April, 1866.

AT THE BAZAAR EUROPEAN.
A. UHLMAN beg to invite his Friends and the Public to inspect his New Stock of Drapery, Haberdashery, Hosiery Jewellery and Fancy Goods, &c., arrived by last Mail, which will be disposed of at very moderate prices, viz:—
Cotton, Linen and Woollen shirts.
Ready made Clothing.
Felt Hats (assorted Shapes and Colors.)
Table Covers.
Towelling.
Men's Socks.
Rugs.
Umbrellas.
French and English Boots.
Perfumery.
Opera Glasses
Watches (Gold and Silver.)
Gold Chains.
Meerschaum Pipes and Cigar Holders, and several other Articles too numerous to mention.
tf 2599 Hongkong, 18th October, 1865.

FOR SALE.
CLEAN BENGAL GRAM in quantity to suit purchasers, at reduced price of $4 per bag from this day.
Apply to JOHN ROBERTS Sr., & Co.
tf 688 Hongkong, 10th April, 1866.

EX NEWEST ARRIVALS
VERY superior Champagnes, &c.
As
Perrier Jouet & Co. in quarts and Pints
Societé Vinicole do.
Ruinart Pere and Fils do.
Charlis Monseaux
Silley Monseaux
Dry Charlis
Finest Sparkling Hock and Moselle
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1258 Hongkong, 16th June, 1866.

JUST LANDED EX *SCAWFELL*.
A SMALL LOT OF SUPERIOR PORT WINE. THOS HUNT & Co.
1m 1522 Hongkong, 18th July, 1866.

NOW READY.
Price $1.50.
NOTES FOR TOURISTS IN THE NORTH OF CHINA, WITH FOUR MAPS.
CONTAINING information respecting the chief places of interest to be visited at Peking, particulars respecting the Roads, means of transport, exchange, places of accommodation, &c., &c
With, Three itineraries to gates of the Great Wall.
"China Mail" office,
tf 1012 Hongkong, 19th May, 1866.

COKE FOR SALE.
SUITABLE for household purposes, when mixed with a small proportion of Coal or Chinese Charcoal. It forms an excellent substitute for same and possesses the advantage of making a good fire without smoke. Apply to the undersigned, or at the Gas Works, West Point.
CHOY AKUN, WINGSHING & Co. *No. 33, Praya, West.*
6m 799 Hongkong, 23rd April, 1866.

ENGLISH Made BOOTS and SHOES.
Apply to ALLUM. Queen's Road, opposite the Market.
1y 2348 Hongkong, 14th September, 1865.

JUST LANDED.
Ex *Christopher Hall*.
BEST COPAL VARNISH.
SPERM OIL.
BEEF AND PORK, in quarter barrels for Family use. THOS. HUNT & Co.
1m 1523 Hongkong, 18th July, 1866.

PER MAIL STEAMER *ORISSA* AND LATE ARRIVALS.
FINE Black Alpaca and Merino Sack and Shooting Coats.
Fine Black Alpaca and Merino Trousers and Waistcoats
Dress Suits for Summer Use,
Fancy Tweed Suits
White Drill and Duck Trousers
White Linen Coats and Jackets
Grey Drill Coats and Trousers
White Waistcoats
Silk Undershirts and Drawers
Merino do do
Crimean Shirts, wooll and silk mixed
Silk Umbrellas
Waterproof Hats
Brushes of every kind
&c. &c. &c.
MULLER & CLAUSSEN,
tf 918 Hongkong, 11th May, 1866.

FOR SALE ex *EVEREST*.
CARLISLE BEER in Hogshead and hf-Hhds. Champagne and Claret in dozens Cases.
Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 1074 Hongkong, 28th May, 1866.

FOR SALE.
YELLOW Metal, 18 to 28 oz. Muntz and Vivian's. JOHN BURD & Co.
tf 670 Hongkong, 6th April, 1866.

THE Undersigned have just received from Foochow, a few Five-catty Boxes of the NEW SEASON TEA, carefully selected for Family use. BOWRA & Co., Queen's Road.
4w 1161 Hongkong, 10th July, 1866.

JOHN Fodger & Sons' Paints and Linseed oil
John Crabbie & Co's. Ginger wine,
Tutuban Manila Rope.
Yellow Metal and Nails.
OXFORD & Co.
tf 118 Hongkong, 3rd March, 1866.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS OF TREASURE, &c.
TO facilitate the work of Shippers, the Company have arranged to receive any Treasure intended for Shipment in their Steamers at their Offices in the Queen's Road.
Treasure will be received in this manner any day between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M., up to the day preceding that of the Steamer's departure. Should the hour fixed for leaving be later than Noon, shipments will be received on the day of departure, from 7 to 9 A.M.
Shippers desiring to avail of this arrangement, will please send along with their Treasure, Shipping Orders and Receipts carefully filled up with Marks, Description, and Destination, and if the Bills of Lading are delivered at the same time the work will be greatly facilitated.
The Company of course except the "risk of boats," &c., as covered by ordinary Marine Insurance.
With reference to the foregoing notice, it is hereby intimated that the Company's Godowns are now ready for the reception of Opium and other Cargo for shipment in the Company's Steamers, under the same conditions as stated above.
THOS. SUTHERLAND, *Superintendent.*
Hongkong, 24th November, 1863.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.
THE Steam-ship "LABOURDONNAIS," Commandant RIGODIT, will leave for Shanghai and Yokohama, TO-MORROW, at 8 A.M.
A. CONIL. *Agent*
tf 1580 Hongkong, 30th July, 1866.

BOWRA & Co. have now on hand a large assortment of CHUBB'S PATENT FIRE PROOF STRONG WROUGHT IRON SAFES, of the following dimensions:—

High.	Wide.	Deep.
48 in.	30 in.	25 in.
40 "	37 "	21 "
34 "	25 "	22 "
24 "	18 "	18 "
22 "	17 "	15 "
20 "	14 "	11 "
19 "	13 "	13 "
17 "	12 "	9 "
15 "	11 "	8 "
13 "	10 "	7 "

Also.
CASH BOXES / PAPER do / DEED do } all fitted with PATENT DETECTOR LOCKS.
4w 1590 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1866.

NOW LANDING, EX *GRESHAM*.
BRASS CRIBS or COTS for CHILDREN, fitted with MOSQUITO CURTAIN RODS and POLES.
NAIL and SHAVING BRUSHES.
HAIR and TOOTH do
RAZORS and RAZOR STROPS.
CHAMOIS LEATHER.
BRASS WIRE FLOUR SIEVES.
do SIEVES FOR MOULDERS.
PAPIER MACHIE PARLOUR BELLOWS.
DRIVING WHIPS.
BRONZED BRACKET LAMPS, with GLOBE and PUNKAH COVERS.
ENAMELLED SAUCEPANS, assorted sizes.
SALTER'S SPRING BALANCES, assorted.
HARNESS COMPOSITION.
TUCK'S PATENT PACKING, 1 to 1½ inch.
CANVAS HOSE, 2, 2½ and 3 inches.
BOWRA & Co.
4w 1581 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1866.

FOR SALE.
S. T.—1860—X. PLANTATION BITTERS. RAY & Co.
tf 1556 Hongkong, 21st July, 1866.

LEGUMES FRANCAIS.
ASPERGES ENTIERES.
PETITS POIS FINS.
HARICOTS FLAGEOLETS (extra)
HARICOTS VERTS.
JULIENNE PRINTANIERE.
ARTICHAUTS CARIGOULE.
ARTICHAUTS ENTIERS.
CHAMPIGNONS.
SALSIFIS.
CELERI AU JUS.
TRUFFES PUREES.
EPINARDS AU NATUREL.
CAROTTES ACCOMMODEES.
BOUILLON GRAS.
SAUCISSES TRUFFEES.

SIROPS FRANCAIS.
SIROP DE GROSEILLES.
" FRAMBOISES.
" LIMON.
" ROSE.
" ORGAT.
" SUPERFIN VINAIGRE.

VINS.
ST. JULIEN.
ST. EMILION.
MARGAUX.
DESSERT CLARET.
CHAMPAGNE GRAIN D'OR (Extra).
COGNAC, fin de la Maison Kougier & Cie.
COGNAC.

WE beg leave to inform our friends and the Public, that our M. G. Dubost, who returned from France by the steamer *Agamemnon*, brought with him the above-mentioned goods, all of the very first choice, and bought from our best manufacturers.
We trust by care and attention to merit a continuance of their liberal support, which we will always endeavour to deserve.
G. DUBOST AND Co.
Queen's Road, Corner of Gutzlaff Street,
1m 1545 Hongkong, 21st July, 1866.

PER MAIL STEAMER "*SALSETTE*."
MESSRS. MARSH AND Co. have received Ladies' Trimmed Hats,
A large assortment of Silk Foulard, Muslin and Grenadine Dresses, with Trimmings, Plain Silks, in all colors, Summer Mantles, Lace and Grenadine Shawls, Fancy Ribbons, Ladies' Dressing Wrappers, and Skirts.
Muslin and Linen Collars and Sleeves, Table Cloths and Napkins.
Also,
Trimmed Baby Baskets and Bassinettes.
tf 711 Hongkong, 12th April, 1866.

ARRIVED BY LAST MAIL.
A SMALL quantity of GRUYERE CHEESE.
Apply to G. DUBOST & Co. Queen's Road, Corner of Gutzlaff Street.
1m 1480 Hongkong, 13th July, 1866.

JUST RECEIVED EX *MARIA ROSARIO*.
A SMALL LOT OF CAVITE CIGARS. THOS. HUNT & Co.
1m 1521 Hongkong, 18th July, 1866.

FOR SALE.
1,000 TONS Newport WELSH COAL. 1,000 tons WEST HARTLEY ENGLISH COAL. Ex Ship or in Godown.
Apply to MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.
tf 1492 Hongkong, 14th July, 1866.

Ex *N. B. Palmer* and *Benefactor*.
AMERICAN Prime Mess Beef and Pork Family Beef, in 50 lbs. kegs
Tongues, in 50 lbs. kegs
White Beans in ½ barrels
Bordin's condensed Milk, in 1 to 2 lbs. tins
Kerosine Oil
India Rubber Packing
White Lead in Kegs
Sill's best Butter
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1257 Hongkong, 16th June, 1866

Now landing ex *Scawfell*.
DAWSON'S EAST INDIA PALE ALE in Casks of 4 dozen bottles each.
Apply to OLYPHANT & Co.
tf 1398 Hongkong, 21st June, 1866.

Post-Office Notifications.

A Mail will close
For Shanghai.—Per *Suwonada*, To-day, the 30th Instant, at 1 P.M.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.
At the Machine Shop at East Point.
LOWMOOR BOILER PLATES, SHEET IRON, BAR IRON, and RIVETS, Best CROWN SCRAP PLATES, SHEET IRON, BAR IRON, RIVETS and ANGLE IRON.
COPPER PLATES and PIPES, GAS PIPES, with Unions Couplings, &c.
BABBIT'S METAL, MUNTZ' METAL, SPRING STEEL, BLISTER STEEL, BOILER TUBES, GRATE BARS, FILES, BUOYS, IRON TANKS, BOLTS and NUTS, &c., &c.,
D. ILLINGWORTH, *Foreman.*
tf 1389 Hongkong, 2nd July, 1866.

FOR SALE.
Ex *Joven Thomaz*, direct from Oporto.
AN invoice of really very choice and GENUINE PORT WINE, very old, in quarter casks, octaves, ⅛-almudes, & 1 & 2 dozen cases.
Apply to J. J. DOS REMEDIOS.
tf 1513 Hongkong, 21st July, 1866.

SHERRY, Port, Moselle, Champagne, Claret Hock, and Brandy. Also Bass Pale Ale in Hhds., Barrels and Kilderkins.
Apply to SEVERS & Co.
tf Hongkong, 17th August, 1864.

PATENT SLIP FOR SALE.
THE Machinery and Iron work for a Morton's Patent Slip, capable of taking up vessels of 1000 Tons English Register. Specifications and plan, with other particulars on reference to OLYPHANT & Co.
tf 1209 Hongkong, 11th June, 1866.

SAO Luiz Flour
Stuart's Crushed Sugar
New Beef and Pork
Fairbank's Scales
Copper Sheathing and Nails.
Apply to SMITH ARCHER & Co.
tf 1031 Hongkong, 23rd May, 1866.

BONNETT & Co., have received by Overland Mail
Ladies' and Childrens' Summer Hats, Trimmed and Untrimmed, newest fashion
Veils and Flowers
Black Lace Mantles, Shawls, Vests, and Sashes
Black and Colored Silk Dresses, Muslin do, Barege do
Ladies' Boots and Shoes, Corsets, &c.
MOURNING JEWELLERY.
Gentlemen's Summer Scarfs, Neck Ties, and Handkerchiefs.
Also,
Riding and Driving Whips, and a large assortment of Saddlery, always on hand
Umbrellas, Travelling Bags and Boxes.
tf 974 Hongkong, 15th May, 1866.

RECEIVED PER FRENCH MAIL STEAMER *ALPHEE*.
NEW Printed Muslin DRESSES
do Gauze
Black MERINOES and BIARRITZ
Black Lace MANTLES and BURNOUS
Black COLLARS and LAPPETS, in Chantilly Lace.
White Grenadine BURNOUS
Fancy COMBS and HEAD DRESSES
Black Jet BRACELETS, BROOCHES, and SLEEVE STUDS
Fancy SLEEVE STUDS and BUTTONS, for Ladies and Gentlemen
Gentlemen's BOOTS and SHOES, &c., &c.
A. BOYER, *Corner of d'Aguilar and Wellington Streets.*
tf 1405 Hongkong, 3rd July, 1866.

EX *PUNJAUB*.
ELLWOOD'S Patent Airchamber, ventilating FELT HATS, in all the newest shapes and Colours.
Ellwood's Patent Airchamber ventilating FELT HELMETS, with latest improvements.
A large Lot of FELT HATS, of the newest shapes, in all colors by the best London makers.
Turkish TOWELS.
Linen DUCK.
Gentlemen's Shirt COLLARS in all the newest shapes.
Hendries' Perfumes, ESSENCES, and TOILET SOAPS.
A. BOYER & Co., Corner of d'Aguilar & Wellington Streets.
tf 1455 Hongkong, 9th July, 1866.

FOR SALE.
ONE of KIRK'S PATENT ICE MACHINES for making Ice without Chemicals; with Boiler, Engine, and Fittings complete.
The Engine is of 8-horse power, and the boiler is 5 feet 3 inches in diameter by 10 ft. 6 in. high. It is capable of making 20 cwt of Ice per diem.
The Machine was made for the Dublin Exhibition of 1865, is of superior workmanship, and would no doubt be very suitable for any of the Coast Ports or for Canton.
It may be seen on the premises of Messrs. McDougall & Co., Spring Gardens, and any further particulars may be obtained from LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
tf 1512 Hongkong, 17th July, 1866.

MR. EWEN CAMERON will assume the TEMPORARY MANAGEMENT of this Branch of the Bank of Hindustan, China and Japan, Limited, from this date.
ARCHIBALD STEWART, *Manager.*
Bank of Hindustan, China and Japan, Limited.
tf Hongkong, 25th July, 1866. 1612

MESSRS. WINNIBERG & Co. have removed their business as WINE, BEER & SPIRIT MERCHANTS, next door from No. 1, opposite the Nullah leading to Head Quarter House. All orders will be promptly attended to as heretofore.
tf 1443 Hongkong, 7th July, 1866.

THOMPSON AND SWAN
BOILER MAKERS,
ENGINE AND SHIP SMITHS.
COPPER SMITH AND BRASS FOUNDERS
No. 800, *Praya West* next to *Mr. Lapraik's*.
3m 1057 Hongkong, 25th May, 1866.

FRENCH DISPENSARY.
QUEEN'S ROAD, 108, HONGKONG,
L. FIGUEIREDO & Co., actual proprietors of the above Establishment, beg respectfully to inform the Public that their Dispensary is being put in better condition to satisfy all demands in French, English, Spanish and Portuguese, as they have already received, and will periodically receive, drugs and Chemicals from the best Houses in London, Paris and Lisbon.
MR. L. FIGUEIREDO, being a Pharmaceutic-Chemist under a Royal Charter, and at present Manager of the French Dispensary, can guarantee to the Public the good quality of his drugs and hopes to deserve their patronage.
Masters of Ships will find every requisite to provide their Medicine Chests on very moderate terms.
m&th tf 2916 Hongkong, 7th December, 1865

PUN LUN, PHOTOGRAPHER.
Queen's Road, No. 58, Up Stairs Opposite the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION,
Takes Portraits, Groups, &c., in the best style, also keeps constantly on hand the views of Hongkong, Canton, Honam, and other Ports of China.
tf Hongkong, 2nd September, 1864.

榮記煤炭 WING KEE. HONGKONG. 興隆大街
ENDICOTT'S BAZAAR, No. 15,
Has for sale
COALS OF ALL KINDS.
1y 1257 Hongkong, 13th June, 1866.

E. AURBACH & Co. SHIPCHANDLERS, STOREKEEPERS, AND AUCTIONEERS, NEWCHWANG.
E. AURBACH & Co., beg to inform masters of vessels and others visiting Newchwang that they have established a Branch of their business at that port, and trust by attention and, a well assorted Stock to merit their support.
tf 2997 Newchwang, 1st December, 1865.

ORIENTAL HOTEL, MACAO.
This new HOTEL is now open, and a share of Public Patronage is solicited.
D. B. VINES.
tf 1486 Macao, 14th July, 1866.

HING-KEE, COMPRADORE No. 12, Central Market East, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG; and HONAM, CANTON, has always on hand Provisions and Food of all kinds for the supply of Vessels and Houses, Prices moderate.
1y 1005 Hongkong, 20th May, 1866.

Notices of Firms.

I HAVE this day admitted Mr. J. TRUELSEN a Partner in my firm, which will in future be carried on under the style of COIT, TRUELSEN, AND Co.

F. COIT.

tf 1603 Ningpo, 27th July, 1866.

THE Copartnership hitherto existing between J. TRUELSEN, ROBT. RAYNOR, AND G. W. HARBENANCE, under the firm of J. Botisteis has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. J. Truelsen and/or Mr. Robt. Rayner will sign the firm in liquidation.

J. BOTISTEIZ.

tf 1604 Ningpo, 18th July, 1866.

MR. LOUIS HAGSCHILD having retired from our firm, his interest and responsibility in the same ceased to-day.

BAHLMANN & Co.

tf 1576 Hongkong, 24th July, 1866.

NOTICE.

THE business of Messrs. JOHN FORSTER and Co. Public Tea Inspectors and Commission Agents, at this Port, has been transferred to the undersigned, who will continue the same in his own name from this date.

EDWARD W. LOVELL.

tf 1208 Kiukiang, May 1st 1866. J-11

NOTICE.

THE business of the undersigned will in future be carried on under the style or firm of GEO. HOLMES & Co. Office adjoining the Agra and Masterman's Bank.

GEO HOLMES.
EDMUND R. HOLMES.

tf 1169 Hongkong, 11th July, 1866.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. THOMAS S. ODELL, in our firm ceased on the 31st December, 1865; and Mr. ERNEST DEACON has this day been admitted a partner.

DEACON & Co.

tf 21 Canton, 1st January, 1866.

MR. DAVID WELSH has this day been admitted a Partner in our Firm.

R. McGREGOR & Co.

tf 56 Hongkong, 1st January, 1866.

NOTICE.

MR. M. DE LANOY, has this day been admitted a partner in our Firm.

LANDSTEIN & Co.

tf 16 Hongkong, 2nd January, 1866.

THE Undersigned having taken over the business of Messrs. BOWRA & Co. in this Colony from Mr. W. A. BOWRA (who retires from the firm this day) beg to solicit a continuance of the patronage hitherto so liberally bestowed.

F. M. HARSANT.
GEO. A. F. NORRIS.

Hongkong 1st May, 1862.

MR. Robert Kathmann's interest and responsibility in our firm ceased on the 1st day of March, 1866.

BROWN & Co.

6m 526 Swatow, 15th March, 1866.

NOTICE.

I HAVE this day established myself as a MERCHANT AND COMMISSION AGENT, under the name and style of REIMANN & Co.

Mr. W. DETMERING, has been authorized to sign my firm.

P. REIMANN.

Office, Corner of Wellington & Cochrane Streets.

3m 1075 Hongkong, 24th May, 1866.

DURING the absence of Mr. EDWARD PARKER of the Albion Hotel, Queen's Road, Mr. PATRICK McCLOSKEY is authorized to act as his Agent.

tf 72 Hongkong, 13th April, 1866. 8-m-923

WE have this established a branch of our firm at Yokohama, Japan.

PHILLIPS MOORE & Co.

tf 728 Hongkong, 14th April, 1866.

MR. EDWARD WALLACE is authorized to sign our firm in Yokohama per procuration.

PHILLIPS MOORE & Co.

tf 727 Hongkong, 14th April, 1866.

NOTICE.

I HAVE this day retired from the business heretofore carried on by me, in favour of my Nephew, Mr. JOHN STEWARD LAPRAIK.

D. LAPRAIK.

tf 1419 Hongkong, 4th July, 1866.

WITH reference to the above, I have admitted as partner Mr. ALEXANDER McGLASHAN HEATON, and the business will hereafter be conducted under the style and firm of DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

JOHN S. LAPRAIK.

tf 1420 Hongkong, 4th July, 1866.

WE have this day established ourselves at this port, as MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS, under the style of KIRCHNER, BOGER & Co.

A. KIRCHNER.
H. BOGER.

tf 1368 Hongkong, 2nd July, 1866.

NOTICE.

MR. ADOLPHUS T. EIMBCKE has this day been admitted a partner in our Firm.

CARLOWITZ & Co.

3m 1395 Canton, 1st July, 1866.

NOTICE.

WE have this day established a Branch of our Firm at Hongkong. Office No. 2, d'Aguilar Street, formerly Bank of India.

CARLOWITZ & Co.

3m 1396 Canton, 1st July, 1866.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. JAMES ATKINSON in our Firm, ceased on the 18th June, 1866.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

tf 1318 Hongkong, 22nd June, 1866.

FRENCH DISPENSARY.

MR. CARLOS JOSE BRAGA, has been admitted a partner in our business, which will be carried on under the Style or Firm of FIGUEIREDO & BRAGA & Co.

L. FIGUEIREDO & Co.

3m 1289 Hongkong, 19th June, 1864.

NOTICE.

I HAVE this day established a TEA INSPECTION AND COMMISSION BUSINESS here, under the firm of LITTLE & Co.

ROBERT WILLIAM LITTLE.

3m 918 Shanghai, 1st May, 1866. 7-M

I HAVE this day established myself in business as MERCHANT AND COMMISSION AGENT, under the style or firm of LADD & Co.

JOHN H. LADD.

tf 912 Hongkong, 7th May, 1866.

WE have this day re-established ourselves in business, which we will carry on in Shanghai instead of Hankow.

INNES & Co.

tf 913 Shanghai, 16th April, 1866. 7-M

NOTICE.

I HAVE this day established myself as MERCHANT and COMMISSION AGENT at this Port, under the Firm and Style of DREYER & Co.

FRIEDR. DREYER, Jr.

3m 872 Hongkong, 1st May, 1866.

I HAVE To-day established myself at this port as GENERAL AND COMMISSION MERCHANT and PUBLIC TEA INSPECTOR, under the style and firm of OVERBECK & Co.

H. OVERBECK.

6m 582 Shanghai, 15th March, 1866. m-27

THE Undersigned has removed his shop to the premises situated at Queen's Road Centre opposite to the Oriental Bank.

D. NOWROJEE.

tf 294 Hongkong, 13th February, 1866.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of the Undersigned in the Watchmaking and Jewellery business ceased on the 1st January, 1865, from which date, all Debts will be collected, and all Claims paid by Mr. GEORGE B. FALCONER who has taken over the business from that date.

D. LAPRAIK.

tf 659 Hongkong, 4th April, 1866.

WITH reference to the above Advertisement, the Undersigned begs to notify, that the Business from this date will be carried on under the style and firm of G. FALCONER & Co.

G. FALCONER.

tf 662 Hongkong, 5th April, 1866.

NOTICE.

WE have established ourselves at this port under the style and firm of SCHEIBLER, MATTHAEI & Co., as Merchants and Commission Agents.

ROB. SCHEIBLER,
CARL MATTHAEI.

3m 993 Shanghai, May, 1866. m-17

I Have this day established myself at Hankow as a PUBLIC TEA INSPECTOR AND GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT, under the firm of

ALEXR. DOWNIE & Co.

tf 690 Hankow, 15th March, 1866. Apl. 10

I HAVE this day established myself as BROKER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT, under the style and title of WILLIAM WALLACE JONES & Co.

WILLIAM WALLACE JONES.
6, Mosque Junction.

tf 1579 Hongkong, 19th July, 1866.

Houses, Lands, Tenements, &c.

TO LET.

TO LET.

with immediate possession.

THAT large, airy 10 Roomed HOUSE, known as "Harperville," situated in the rear of the Albany. Fine Stables and Garden. Rent cheap.

Apply to J. W. PEARCE.

tf 1565 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1866.

TO LET.

With immediate Possession.

THE large and commodious HOUSE in Queen's Road, opposite the Central Bank, lately occupied by Messrs. Parker & Co.

For particulars, apply to

A. PESTONJEE, Lyndhurst Terrace.

tf 1558 Hongkong, 21st July, 1866.

TO LET.

THE HOUSE and GODOWNS on the Praya recently occupied by Messrs. Lindsay & Co.

Apply to T. G. LINSTEAD.

tf 1530 Hongkong, 19th July, 1866.

TO LET.

TWO or three ROOMS suitable for an Office on the ground floor of the newly built house on the Praya, next to the Oriental Bank. For particulars apply to

P. F. CAMA & Co.

tf 1506 Hongkong, 16th July, 1866.

TO LET.

THE PREMISES of the late Oriental Hotel, consisting of three Houses, with Kitchen, Out-houses, and Stables, (Gas and Water being laid on all through the premises,) either together or separately. Alterations to suit parties may be made if taken for a length of time.

For particulars apply to LANDSTEIN & Co.

tf 1474 Hongkong, 11th July, 1866.

FOR SALE OR TO BE LET.

THE Property at Foochow which belonged to the late firm of FLETCHER & Co., consisting of GODOWNS, Tea Hong, &c.

Apply to H. W. WOOD, and W. KAYE.

tf 412 Hongkong, 2nd February, 1866.

TO LET.

GRANITE Godowns at Wanchi, having water frontage. Apply to P. & A. C. CAMAJEE & Co.

1m 1406 Hongkong, 3rd July, 1866.

TO LET.

with immediate possession.

A FURNISHED MATSHED at Pokefolum, with Stabling and Out-houses attached. The Matshed is lined inside with board.

For particulars apply to

A. PESTONJEE, Lyndhurst Terrace.

tf 1410 Hongkong, 8th July, 1866.

TO LET.

A COMMODIOUS HOUSE, situated in Caine Road East, suitable for a family residence, containing 8 Rooms, Bathrooms, &c. There is a Stable adjoining.

For particulars apply to ARNEMANN & Co.

tf 1425 Hongkong, 5th July, 1866.

TO LET.

with immediate possession.

TWO airy ROOMS, with Verandah and Bathroom. The same may be had furnished or unfurnished.

For particulars apply to

WM. SCHMIDT & Co.,

Wellington Street, No. 33, corner of Pottinger St.

tf 1424 Hongkong, 5th July, 1866.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

THAT newly erected commodious DWELLING HOUSE containing eight Rooms, Kitchen, Coolies' Rooms, etc., also Stabling and Garden grounds, situated next the residence of Captain Thomsett; West Point, between Bonham and Pookfoolum Roads on Inland Lot No. 757. For terms apply to Mr. THOS. M. BARRINGTON, 36, Wyndham Street.

tf 2931 Hongkong, 6th December, 1865.

TO LET.

AN Office on First FLOOR. Enquire of

BONNETT AND Co.
1, WYNDHAM STREET,
back of Club.

tf 1118 Hongkong, 5th June, 1866.

TO LET.

THE Premises recently occupied by Messrs. Bey & Co. Apply to

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

tf 882 Hongkong, 2nd May, 1866.

TO LET.

with immediate possession.

THE Premises on the Praya, formerly occupied by Messrs. Cunningham & Co., can be used as a Store or Dwelling House, or as Godowns. For particulars apply to

PHILLIPS, MOORE AND Co.

tf 835 Hongkong, 2nd May, 1866.

With immediate possession.

A PORTION of the premises known as the ORIENTAL HOTEL, with entrance on Wyndham Street, suitable for an office or dwelling.

Apply at the Oriental Hotel.

tf 751 Hongkong, 17th April, 1866.

A DRY GODOWN to let in Queen's Road. Apply to MISS GARRETT.

tf 607 Hongkong, 31st March, 1866.

TO LET.

FOR a term of years, with early possession, those desirable premises in Bank Buildings situated between the Agra Bank and Comptoir d'Escompte, at present in the occupation of the Bank of Hindustan, China, and Japan. The principal building is very suitable for division into Offices or Chambers.

For further particulars apply to

GILMAN AND Co.

tf 697 Hongkong, 17th April, 1866.

TO LET.

THE spacious premises on the Queen's Road, now occupied by Messrs. PARKER & Co., admirably suited for a Banking institution or large Mercantile firm.

Apply on the Premises.

tf 274 Hongkong, 10th February, 1866.

With immediate possession.

THE Property known as "ALMACK PLACE," having a frontage of Eighty-three feet on Wellington and Gage Streets, and of two hundred and twenty-nine feet on Aberdeen Street, comprising a superficial area of about 19,000 square feet.

Annual Ground Rent £ 2: 12. 6.

For further particulars apply to

GIBB LIVINGSTON AND Co.

tf Hongkong, 24th February, 1864.

TO LET.

THAT very commodious and delightfully situated House, on Bonham Road, named Persepolis, having 12 large and airy Rooms, with Bath Rooms, Cellars, Out houses, Stables, &c. Water-pipes are laid into the premises, and Gas fitted into 28 bracket lights, with six Chandeliers &c., &c. The Bungalow has a nice spacious Garden having about 300 flower pots and beautifully built fountain in the centre. Rent moderate.

Possession can be had immediately. Apply to

DORABJEE NOWROJEE.

tf 1001 Hongkong, 18th May, 1866.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

AN airy and spacious Bungalow containing six Rooms, Bath Rooms and Servants' Offices, and commanding the whole view of the harbor and town, and delightfully situated behind the Albany, Southward of Mr. W. G. Alexander's residence.

Apply to E. PESTONJEE

5, Lyndhurst Terrace.

tf 282 Hongkong 12th February 1866.

TO LET.

THE Building known as Marine House, lately occupied by Messrs. Dent & Co., situated in the most central part of the Town, fronting the Queen's Road thoroughly repaired and in good order. This Building is particularly suitable for a Bank or Mercantile Establishment, having a fire-proof granite Treasury, and besides several godowns for the storage of ordinary goods also a fire-proof vaulted godown, specially adapted for the storage of Opium or other valuable goods.

Apply to R. B. SLATE,

Secretary Hong Kong Hotel Co. "Limited,"
Club Chambers Building.

tf 995 Hongkong, 17th May, 1866.

TO BE LET.

THE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messrs. ELMENHORST and SANDER.

For particulars apply to

GIBB LIVINGSTON AND Co.

tf 863 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865.

A SPACIOUS GODOWN on the Praya Central. Apply to DE SILVER AND Co.

tf 129 Hongkong, 17th January, 1866.

J. THOMAS & Co.

SHIP CHANDLERS, SAIL MAKERS, WINE, BEER, AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS, AND GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTS.

No. 56, Praya West.

Formerly occupied by Messrs. Cunningham & Co.

tf 1115 Hongkong, 4th July, 1866.

Insurances.

LIFE ASSURANCE.

THE Undersigned have received authority by a recent Mail to issue LIFE POLICIES to amounts not exceeding £1,000 without reference to the Head Offices, as was previously required by the Board.

ROBT. S. WALKER AND Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Co.

555 Hongkong, 7th January, 1866.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER, AND LONDON.

Capital—ONE MILLION STERLING.

THE DIRECTORS have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Messrs. HOLLIDAY WISE & Co., as Agents for this Company at Hongkong, Shanghai, Canton, Hankow, and Foochow, who are prepared to grant Insurances at Current Rates, and of whom all needful information may be obtained.

By Order of the Board

JAMES B. NORTHCOTT,
Secretary.

UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above-named Company at Hongkong, are prepared to grant Policies, payable at any of the following Ports:—

London.	Madras.
Calcutta.	Melbourne.
Bombay.	The Cape.
Kurrachee.	Shanghai.

SMITH, KENNEDY AND Co.

Hongkong, 1st August, 1863.

THE NETHERLANDS FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF LEETSHEN.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept Risk against Fire on the usual terms.

BOURJAU, HUBENER AND Co.

tf 641 Hongkong, 4th April, 1864.

SUN FIRE OFFICE.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above office are prepared to grant Policies against Fire on the usual Terms and conditions. Risk will also be accepted at the following ports:—

Canton, by Messrs. DEACON & Co.
Macao, by E. L. LANCA, Esq.
Amoy, by Messrs. BOYD & Co.
Foochow, by Messrs. KINNEAR & Co.

Full particulars of Rates, &c., may be obtained on application to

ADAM SCOTT & Co., Agents.

tf 1033 Hongkong, 23rd May, 1866.

YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

A RETURN of (15%) Fifteen per cent, instead of (10%) Ten per cent, will after this date be made on the premium payable on Policies issued in China by the above named Association.

RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries.

tf 489 Hongkong, 14th March, 1866.

THE ELPHINSTON INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for THE ELPHINSTON INSURANCE COMPANY of Bombay, are prepared to take Risks to the extent of one lakh of Rupees in Sailing Ships, and one lakh and a half in Steamers, payable in Bombay, Kurrachee, Cochin, Columbo, Madras, Calcutta, Rangoon, Moulmein, Singapore, Shanghai, London, and Liverpool, at which Ports the Company has organised branches.

JAMSETJEE, NUSSERWANJEE & Co.

499 Hongkong, 1st January, 1865.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.

UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance, viz:—

Detached & semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from Town and their contents } ½ per cent.
Other dwelling Houses, used strictly as such, and their Contents } ¾ per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents } 1 per cent.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON AND Co.
Agents Imperial Fire Insurance Company.

tf 864 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865.

LIVERPOOL LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.

UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurances viz:—

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from Town and their contents } ½ per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their contents } ¾ per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents } 1 per cent.

SMITH, KENNEDY AND Co.
Agents Liverpool, London, and Globe Insurance Company.

tf 869 Hongkong, 8th March, 1865.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai.

In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year, fifteen (15) per cent. of the profits of the Company for that year divided pro rata to the amount of premium paid by each policy-holder.

RUSSELL AND Co.

Hongkong, November, 1862.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, Tls. 2,000,000.
in 400 Shares, of Tls. 5,000 each.
Paid-up Capital, Tls. 200,000.

Directors.

GEORGE TYSON, Esq., (Messrs. Russell & Co.)—Chairman.
J. H. BELL, Esq., (Messrs. W. R. Adamson & Co.)
F. PORTER, Esq., (Messrs. Gibb, Livingston & Co.)
J. THORNE Esq., (Messrs. Thorne Bros & Co.)
R. R. TYERS, Esq., (Messrs. Olyphant and Co.)
A. J. HOW, Esq., (Messrs. Johnson & Co.)

Agencies are established at the several ports of China and Japan.

L. JOSEPHS, Secretary.

Shanghai, 22nd August, 1864.

REDUCTION

In the rates of premium for

FIRE INSURANCE.

THE undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October Inst.) received authority from the Secretary of the Royal Insurance Company to reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on private residences and on Furniture and effects therein contained.

In cases of Dwelling Houses removed from the Town the rate of premium will be three-quarters per cent. in place of one per cent. per annum as hitherto charged, and in cases of Residences so situated being detached or semi-detached the rate will be further reduced to one-half per cent.

The Royal's annual rates for Fire Insurance on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows until further notice, viz:—

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses (removed from the Town) and their contents...... } ½ per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses (similarly situated) and their contents... } ¾ per cent.
Offices and Godowns, and their contents........................ } 1 per cent.
China Houses and their contents......... } First Class. 1½ per cent. Second Class 1¾ per cent.

Other Risks by Special arrangement.

ROBERT, S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.

tf 714 Hongkong, 7th January, 1865.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Office, are prepared to accept MARINE RISKS, and issue Policies on any First-class Sailing Vessels or Steamers on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in China Singapore, Calcutta, Bombay, or London.

ROBT. S. WALKER AND Co.

tf Hongkong, 8th October, 1863.

LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE.

137, LEADENHALL STREET, LONDON.

JAMES HARTLEY & Co.—Managers.

ESTABLISHED 1843.

THE Undersigned is authorised to accept risks on behalf of this Office, by First Class Steamers.

THOS. SUTHERLAND, Agent.

tf Hongkong, 17th March, 1865.

Insurances.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

REGISTERED UNDER THE COMPANY'S ORDINANCE FOR 1865.

Capital One Million Dollars.

THE above Company is now prepared to grant Policies against Fire, on Buildings and Goods on the usual terms.

JARDINE MATHESON AND Co.
General Managers.

tf 1202 Hongkong, 9th June, 1866.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above INSURANCE COMPANY, are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the Current Rates.

RUSSELL & Co.

6m 1579 Hongkong, 24th July, 1866.

THE COMMERCIAL UNION ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.

CAPITAL £2,500,000 FULLY SUBSCRIBED.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for this Company are prepared to accept Marine and Fire Risks on the usual terms.

THE BORNEO COMPANY LIMITED.

tf 780 Hongkong, 10th February, 1865.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant POLICIES at the usual Terms.

SMITH KENNEDY AND Co.

203 Hongkong 4th November, 1864.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, (FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the risk of Fire on Buildings or on goods Stored therein, on Goods in Matsheds, on goods on board Vessels, and on hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual terms and conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be received and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first Class Lives up to £1,000 on a single Life.

For rates of premiums, forms of proposals, or any other information.

Apply to

OXFORD AND Co,
Agents at Hongkong and Canton.

1y 2724 Hongkong, 3rd November, 1865.

NORWICH UNION FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for Hongkong and Canton, and are prepared to grant Insurance Policies against fire on brick and tiled godowns, Dwelling Houses, &c., and on goods and others property stored therein.

THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.

tf 2814 Hongkong, 18th November, 1865.

HAMBURG, BREMEN, FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are now authorized to accept assurance against Fire at Hongkong and at any of the open ports in China to the amount of Mexican $30,000 on one Risk.

WM. PUSTAU AND Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 23rd March, 1864.

LONDON AND LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept INSURANCES against FIRE upon European Buildings and Merchandise, and upon Chinese Property.

LYALL, STILL & Co.

122 Hongkong, 24th October, 1864.

"ORIENTAL INSURANCE SOCIETY."

THE undersigned having been appointed Agent in China for the "Oriental Insurance Society" of Bombay is prepared to accept Marine risk on goods and freight by sailing Vessels and Steamers, and grant Policies on the usual terms payable in case of loss in Hongkong, Calcutta, Bombay and London.

DHURUMSEY POONJABHOY.

tf 3017 Hongkong, 16th December, 1865.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses, removed from Town, and their contents } ½ per cent. per annum
Other dwelling House used strictly as such, and their contents } ¾
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents } 1

GILMAN AND Co.
Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.

tf 885 Hongkong, 10th March, 1865.

GUARDIAN FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.

DETACHED and Semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Contents. . . . . . ½ per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses, used strictly as such, and their Contents. . . . . . ¾ per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., &c., and their Contents. . . . . 1 per cent.

ALFRED WILKINSON AND Co.,
Agents.

tf 2650 Hongkong, 24th October 1865.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of $50,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON AND Co.

tf Hongkong, 24th August, 1864.

BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company, are prepared to grant Policies against sea risks at current rates.

RUSSELL AND Co.

tf 1022 Hongkong, 1st April, 1865.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from Town, and their contents } ½ per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their contents } ¾ per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents } 1 per cent.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON AND Co.
Agents China Fire Insurance Company.

tf 873 Hongkong 8th March, 1865.

PHŒNIX ASSURANCE.

UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance viz:—

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses, removed from town and their contents } ½ per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such and their contents } ¾ per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their contents } 1 per cent.

SMITH, KENNEDY AND Co.
Agents Phœnix Assurance.

tf 870 Hongkong 8th March, 1865.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE.

THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Merchandise in their own Boats, and to receive the same on Storage in first class GRANITE GODOWNS, on moderate terms.

ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.

tf Hongkong, 4th March, 1863.

STORAGE.

TO Let A fine GRANITE GODOWN, in the Eastern part of Wanchi.

For particulars apply to

LANDSTEIN & Co.

tf 2727 Hongkong, 4th November, 1865.

STORAGE, can be had in GRANITE GODOWNS next to the French Consul, at Dudell Street, on moderate terms.

Apply to

RAY & Co.

tf 1778 Hongkong, 30th June, 1865.

2 GRANITE GODOWNS on Marine Lot No 745, at Wanchi, having Water frontage and about 25,000 Piculs holding capacity for one or two.

Apply to DORABJEE NOWROJEE.

tf 35 Hongkong, 4th January, 1866.

SILVEIRA AND Co.

PHOTOGRAPHERS,
Queen's Road.
Opposite the Oriental Bank.

tf 1230 Hongkong, 14th June, 1866.

Business Announcements.

ICE CREAM AND ICE CREAM PUDDINGS ALWAYS READY, AT N. OREMER'S CONFECTIONERY, Wellington Street, No. 33, Opposite the Catholic Church.

All Orders will be promptly executed and forwarded to any address indicated.

tf 1442 Hongkong, 7th July, 1866.

HONGKONG BAKERY.

DORABJEE NOWROJEE begs to inform the Public, that he has established a Bakery Fancy Pastry and Confectionery Business on his premises, Queen's Road, opposite the Oriental Bank, and hopes from his long experience and careful attention to merit the patronage and support of the Public.

Hongkong, 4th August, 1866.

NEW TONSORIAL SALOON.

PROFESSOR WHEELER has the honor to inform the community that he has removed his Hair Cutting Establishment from the Oriental Hotel to the premises between Mr. A. Boyer's and Miss Rose's Millinery establishments on Wellington Street. He begs to tender his sincere thanks for their past favors and trusts that the change of abode may be the means of increasing his list of patrons. Attached is also a commodious Dye Room, where those who are prematurely grey, and are anxious to rejuvenate their appearance can put on youth's most glossy locks with the magician's celerity. He is happy to inform them that he has also in operation his refreshing and invigorating Shower Bath, which one has but to try to appreciate, especially during the summer months. Everything that luxury and comfort can desire is to be found in his new establishment.

He will be happy to call upon patrons at their private residences upon receiving intimation requiring his services. P. S.—Particular attention paid to setting razors.

PROFESSOR WHEELER,
HAIR CUTTER AND HAIR DRESSER,
Wellington Street,
Next door to Alexander Boyer's.

tf 693 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1866.

TO HOUSEKEEPERS & SHIP MASTERS.

JOHN PATERSON.

Late with Messrs LOGAN & Co.,

House and Ship Plumbers, Gas Fitters, and Zinc Worker.

Praya West, Achnng's Yard, Next to Mr. LOGAN

tf 1150 Hongkong, 15th April, 1865.

ELECTRO PLATING AND GUILDING MANUFACTURER.

THE Undersigned respectfully begs to inform the Public and the Community of Hongkong, that he has this day established himself as

ELECTRO PLATER & GUILDER

of every kind of Gold and Silver-wares, on the premises, Queen's Road, opposite the Oriental Bank, as known by Mr. Dorabjee Nowrojee's Bakery establishment. He will use his utmost exertions to give every satisfaction by strict attention and expediency to any orders that may be trusted to his care, and hopes from his long experience and careful attention to merit the patronage and support of the public.

SORABJEE COWASJEE.

tf 1403 Hongkong, 3rd July, 1866.

TALBOT AND Co.

SHIP CHANDLERS AND COMMISSION AGENTS.

No. 111 and 116, QUEEN'S ROAD.

A READING ROOM attached. Entrance fee $1.

tf 2823 Hongkong, 20th November, 1865.

REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.

REMOVED EASTWARD OF THE Praya No. 16.

Next to Messrs. Bowra & Co.

tf 2913 Hongkong 4th December, 1865.

DR. SCHETELIG, has removed to Pedder's Hill

tf 329 Hongkong, 20th February, 1866.

W. M. DOLAN.

SAIL MAKER, &c.

Duddell Street,

Opposite the French Consulate.

tf 631 Hongkong, 3rd April, 1866.

DENTISTRY.

MR. V. D. COLLINS, on his return from Manila, in September next, will resume the practice of DENTISTRY at Hongkong, at the following rates:—Gold fillings, $5 each; and for inserting artificial teeth on Pivot, Gold, Silver, or Vulcanite base, from $10 to $15 per tooth, according to the amount of work done.

1m 1420 Hongkong, 5th July, 1866.

ANDREW MILLAR,

PLUMBER AND GASFITTER

TO

THE COLONIAL GOVERNMENT.

Late manager in the firm of Messrs. J. LOGAN & Co., Engineers, West Point, begs to inform the Residents of the Colony, that he has established himself in the above branches, and trusts to give the same satisfaction to his Patrons, and the Public, as he has hitherto done while in the above mentioned Firm.

Queen's Road, East.

tf 920 Hongkong, 7th May, 1866.

Business Announcements.

BATHGATE'S DIETETIC BAEL.

A HIGHLY agreeable and nutritive diet, particularly recommended in derangement of the digestive organs and irregularity of the bowels.

BATHGATE'S PALE ESSENCE OF CHIRETTA.

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Most valuable in Cholera, Diarrhœa, Asthma and Dysentery.

BATHGATE & Co.,
Pharmaceutists, CALCUTTA.
Agents in Hongkong.
ALFRED WRIGHT & Co.

2w 1570 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1866.

YUE-CHEONG.

RETAIL TEA DEALER

BEGS to inform the community that he has received his supply of New Seasons Teas comprising choice Oolong, Pekoe and Souchong.

tf 1828 Hongkong, 6th July, 1865.

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PORTRAIT PAINTER, &c.

Has all sorts and kinds of Pictures for sale at moderate prices.

No. 66, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

☞ UP STAIRS.

3m 971 Hongkong, 15th May, 1866.

THE ORIENTAL DISPENSARY

AND

SODA WATER MANUFACTORY.

F. P. SOARES & Co. beg to inform the Public, that they have this day opened the above Establishment on the premises, at the corner of Wellington and Peel Streets, and one door east of Messrs. J. Roberts, Snr. & Co.'s Auction Rooms.

The Dispensary will be under the special Management of Mr. F. P. SOARES whose long experience as a Dispenser, extending to a period of Thirteen Years at the Dispensary of the late Dr. Watson, from whom he holds first-rate testimonials, enables the advertisers to offer the assurance to those who may favor them with orders, that all prescriptions will be most carefully prepared, and other orders satisfactorily and very promptly executed.

The Medicines used are all fresh and of the very best quality, having recently been imported ex Northfleet from the best London Druggists.

Captains of vessels may have their Medicine Chests fitted, up to advantage, both as regards Price and Quality of Drugs, &c.

FEEDING BOTTLES of various descriptions; CONCENTRATED ETHEREAL ESSENCE OF JAMAICA GINGER; SARSAPARILLA; DISINFECTING FLUIDS; HOLLOWAY'S PILLS AND OINTMENTS; COCKLE'S PILLS; ASSORTED COUGH and other LOZENGES; PERFUMERY; TOILET POWDERS; POMATUM; GOLDEN OIL; SMELLING SALTS; SOAPS; Hair, Nail, and Tooth BRUSHES; SYRINGES; EYE GLASSES, &c., &c., FOR SALE.

CHARGES MODERATE!!

SODA WATER, LEMONADE and GINGERADE unequalled in excellence of quality and purity.

6m 1281 Hongkong, 18th June, 1866.

DEPOTS of Labuan Coal have been established at the undermentioned Ports

SWATOW,....................Messrs. Bradley & Co.
AMOY,........................Messrs. Elles & Co.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf 2430 Hongkong, 26th September, 1865.

J. B. WATSON begs leave to return his sincere thanks to his Friends and the Public for the very liberal support he has received for the last seven years; and begs to inform them that he has transferred his Business to JOSEPH VINEY, and trusts they will favour him with the same liberal support he has hitherto received.

J. B. WATSON.

Hongkong, 6th March, 1866.

In reference to the above Intimation, JOSEPH VINEY begs to inform his Friends and the Public that he has taken over the Business of the STAG HOTEL from Mr. J. B. WATSON, and trusts by care and attention to merit a continuance of their very liberal support. Those who will kindly favour him with a visit, the Hotel will be found replete with every convenience for the comfort of Visitors not to be equalled in China.

STAG HOTEL.

Queen's Road, Central,

JOSEPH VINEY.

Proprietor.

3m 887 Hongkong, 6th March, 1866. May-2

BOOKBINDING.

REDUCTION IN PRICES!

A. GINDELL, Bookbinder; in returning his sincere thanks to his friends and the public for the liberal support he has hitherto received, begs most respectfully to notify that he is prepared to execute all work entrusted to his care in a first rate manner at considerably reduced prices.

All his materials are of the best English Manufacture. Books of every description bound in the neatest and most elegant styles.

A. GINDELL,
Wellington-street.

tf 97 Hongkong, 23rd March, 1865.

Business Announcements.

THE Undersigned is prepared to land Cargo in first class Cargo boats, at current rates.

J. S. HOCK.

tf 1315 Hongkong, 22nd June, 1866.

M. LYON.

PLUMBER, BRAZIER, AND GAS FITTER, MAKER AND REPAIRER OF PUMPS FOR SHIPS, &c. All Works executed with Promptness.

Wanchi, No. 197.

1m 1511 Hongkong, 17th July, 1866.

M. LYON'S

PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE,

No. 197, Wanchi, Hongkong.

M. L. begs to inform his friends wishing to remain some time in the Colony, that they will find good table and lodging, and a comfortable home, on moderate terms.

1m 1510 Hongkong, 17th July, 1866.

WEST POINT STEAM SAW MILLS.

THESE Mills adjoining the P. & O. Company's establishment, at West Point, are now prepared to execute with promptness and on reasonable terms, all orders for sawing and planeing wood, and to undertake contracts for wooden houses, for furniture, carpenter and joiners' work generally, and for supplying Wood-work of every description for Buildings, Ships and Steamers.

These Mills will also shortly be prepared to undertake contracts for sawing logs of Singapore and Manila hardwoods, and every other description of Timber of every size, into boards, planks and scantling.

Apply to the undersigned either personally or by letter

A. D. MITCHELL, Manager.

tf 537 Hongkong, 21st March, 1866.

ADVERTISEMENT.

THE most vicious Horse conquered and rendered perfectly docile in one half hour. The advertiser respectfully informs the Gentry of Hongkong that in one half hour he can tame the most vicious animal that can be produced, so that he will allow a wheel-barrow to be run over him, a gun fired off his back, and will allow a child to ride him without saddle or bridle; the animal shall allow the advertiser to leap upon his back, over his hind quarters, or over his head. The horse shall playfully canter after him and from him and return again at his whistle. Gentlemen wishing to learn will not be charged until they can perform the above.

Address WILLIAM RISLEY, Newmarket professional Trainer and Jockey; care of Daily Press Office.

1m 1557 Hongkong, 21st July, 1866.

HONGKONG MARKETS.

Sales on the 28th July, 1866.

Vendor	Goods Sold	Price	Purchaser
Philips Moore & Co.	12,00 pcs. 8½-lb Grey Shirting	$ 3.84	Mee-loong
Walker & Co.	100 ,, Assorted Lasting	19.25	Hongkong Merchant
Holliday, Wise & Co.	1,000 ,, 6¼-lb Grey Shirting	3.00	San-on-loong
do.	500 ,, 7¾-lb do.	3.00	Hongkong Merchant
Turner & Co.	1,000 ,, 8½-lb do.	3.85	do.
do.	200 pcs. Assorted Lastings	18.25	do.
Oxford & Co.	115 ,, Grey Linen Lasting, pr. yd.	31	do.
Pustau & Co.	500 ,, Assorted Longell	9.25	Cheong loong
Gibb, L. & Co.	75 bles. Nos. 28-32 Cotton Yarn	210.00	Tye-shing-wo
do.	25 ,, Nos. 28-32 do.	210.00	Yat-wo-loong
Jardine, M. & Co.	50 ,, Nos. 28-32 do.	210.00	do.
Hung-foong-hong	110 ,, Shanghai Cotton	22.75	Shang-yuen
Yik-fat-hong	100 ,, Tientsin Cotton	23.00	Chinchew Merchant
Yee-shun-hong	160 ,, Shantung Cotton	21.30	Travelling Merchant
Reynolds & Co.	2,000 ,, bundles Nos. 18 Iron Nail Rod	3.25	Show-loong (To Arrive)
Wo-lee-hong	100 ,, Shanghai Cotton	22.60	Chinchew Merchant
do.	200 pls. Black Pepper	8.53	do.
do.	100 ,, Small Mussell	7.60	Tai-loo
Kwong-wing-sun	50 bles. Tientsin Cotton	23.00	Travelling Merchant
Chee-hing-loong	500 bags 50-lb Flour	1.38	Macao Merchant
Shun-wo-tye	200 pls. Black Sessamum	3.45	Travelling Merchant
Wooy-yune	300 bags 50-lb Flour	1.11	Hongkong Merchant
Kwong-cheong-wo	10 boxes Mushroom	49.75	Travelling Merchant
Tat-tye-hong	500 pls. Siam Rice	2.10	Kwong-foong
Sum-mow-hong	200 ,, Small Green Peas	3.30	Yat-loong
do.	100 ,, White Sugar	8.20	Shanghai Merchant
Fook-chyu-yune	2 pcs. Seechune White Wax	222.00	Travelling Merchant

SHIPPING IN THE CANTON WATERS

HONGKONG.

STEAMERS.

Vessel & Captain		Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
Aden,	Eyre	Brit. str	700	P. & O. S. N. Co	Shanghai
Elfin,	Austin	Fren. str	165	Bourmall & Co	
Fame,	Le Fevre	Brit. str	117	H. K. & W. Dk. Co	Laid up
Fausen,		Brit. str	256	H. K., C. & M. S. P. Co	
Fire Dart,‡	Banning	Brit. str	500	H. K., C. & M. S. P. Co	Laid up
Fiwan,		Brit. str		McDougall & Co	East Coast
Formosa,	Tomlin	Brit. str	700	P. & O. S. N. Co	S'pore & Bombay
John Bright, J. E.	Betham	Brit. str	677	F. B. Cama & Co	
Kinshan,‡	Haskel	Brit. str	550	H. K., C. & M. S. P. Co	
Kiu-Kiang,‡	Newton	Amer. str	1083	Russell & Co	S'hai & Yokohama
Labourdonnais,	Rigodin	Fren. str	903	Messageries Imperiales	Refitting
Lancefield,	Johnson	Brit. str	447	Russell & Co	Laid up
London,		Brit. str	700	Jardine, Matheson & Co	Bombay
Orissa,	Curling	Brit. str	1200	P. & O. S. N. Co	
Poyang,‡	Green	Amer. str	821	Russell & Co	Refitting
Salsette,	Parish	Brit. str	965	P. & O. S. N. Co	Shanghai
Sawunada,	Jayne	Amer. str	1602	Aug. Heard & Co	
Ta Yang,†		Amer. str		Russell & Co	
Undine,	Ashton	Brit. str	380	Douglas Lapraik	East Coast
White Cloud,*	Carroll	Brit. str	389	H. K., C. & M. S. P. Co	

* Running between Macao and H.Kong.
‡ Running between H.Kong and Canton.
† Tug steamer.

SAILING VESSELS.

Vessel & Captain		Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
A. M. Lawrence,	Taylor	Amer. sh	606	Olyphant & Co	Saigon
Achilles,	Bulling	Brem. bk	250	E. Schellhass & Co	
Acapulco,	Hinde	Brit. bk	300	Borneo Co. Limited	
Adgar Ross,	Binder	Ham. bk	278	Siemssen & Co	
Adelheid,	Ehlers	Prus. bk	234	Siemssen & Co	
Adelia Carleton,	Talpeyb	Amer. bk	593	P. & O. S. N. Co	Newchwang
Albert Victor,	Overburg	Brit. sh	858	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Alice Ball,	J. Russ	Amer. sh	777	Order	
Amalia,	Oricans	Brem. bk	204	Bosman & Co	Tientsin
Amazone,	Belitested	Brem. bg	219	E. Schellhass & Co	
Amicus,	C. Olsen	Brit. bk	511	John Burd & Co	
Ariadne,	Gyllenpalm	Russ. bk	286	Order	
Albis,	Niemyer	Ham. sch	280	Wm. Pustau & Co	
Aurelliana,	Matheson	Ham. bk	380	Wm. Pustau & Co	
Aurora,	Basterra	Span. bk	482	Reynolds & Co	Chefoo
Avon,	Lessing	Brit. bg	297	Chinese	
Avonlia,	Warwick	Brit. sh	930	D. Lapraik	F't or Charter
Ayrshire,	Munro	Brit. bk	394	Johnson & Co	Laid up
Banlee,	Pronter	Brit. bk	260	Order	
Bella,	Afook	Siam. bg	300	Chinese	
Banefactor,	Martin	Brit. bk	498	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Bonaventure,	Berry	Amer. bk	604	Smith, Archer & Co	
Braganza,	Comey	Brit. bk	292	Chinese	
Briton,	Shilston	Brit. bk	398	Order	Saigon Mel. & Sydney
Bunker Hill,	Faming	Brit. sh	510	Parker & Co	
C. J. Henriette,	Davis	Amer. sh	990	Russell & Co	
Cadovius,	Tonges	Dut. sh	1201	Bosman & Co	Banca
Camoens,	Iversen	Prus. sch	251	Bourjau, Hubener & Co	Newchwang
Carobel,	Tusmido	Port. bg	85	Ps. Consul	
Carlot,	Michael	Brit. bk	474	Oxford & Co	
Catharina,	Peterson	Ham. bk	246	Siemssen & Co	
Ceylon,	Jenen	Prus. bg	248	Wm. Pustau & Co	
Congress,	Brewer	Brit. sh	696	Morgan Lambert & Co	F't or Charter
Corrientes,	Wyman	Amer. sh	690	Order	
Costa Rica,	Johnston	Brit. bk	586	Borneo Co. Limited	
Daniel Marcy,	Mollin	Brit. bk	290	Adam Scott & Co	
Denmark,	Ross	Amer. sh	1031	Siemssen & Co	
Der Fritch,	Prowse	Siam. bk	326	Chinese	
Der West,	A. Siemon	Ham. sch	180	Wm. Pustau & Co	
Don Ricardo,	Pust	Prus. bk	541	Russell & Co	San Francisco
Duppo,	Jefery	Brit. bk	289	D. Lapraik	London
Eagle,	Jessen	Prus. bk	450	Wm. Pustau & Co	
Ellen,	Cwlhoert	Brit. sh	1721	P. & O. S. N. Co	
Empress,	Williams	Amer. sh	631	Parker & Co	Repairing
Ephesus,	Peurice	Brit. bk	481	Jardine, Matheson & Co	Manila
Eugene Adele,	Boucand	Fren. bk	369	Landstein & Co	
Excelsior,	Giraud	Fren. sh	353	Landstein & Co	F't or Charter
Fairy,	Wyenhort	Dut. bk	348	Bosman & Co	Bangkok
Falcon,	Cunning	Brit. sch	229	Johnson & Co	Bangkok
Favorite,	O'Sullivan	Brit. bk	462	D. Lapraik	
Fearless,	Thorpe	Brit. bk	422	Morgan, Lambert & Co	F't or Charter
George Raynal,	Drewn	Amer. sh	900	Russell & Co	
Glendoveer,	Bachelder	Amer. sh	1380	Order	
Golden Fleece,	Knowles	Brit. bk	485	Dent & Co	Yokohama
Golden Hind,	Siemssen	Brit. sh	400	Smith, Kennedy & Co	
Gravina,	Davies	Amer. sh	1042	Order	
Gresham,	Lapuenta	Span. bk	245	Reynolds & Co	
Helene,	Ponsonby	Brit. sh	665	Dent & Co	
Helvetia,	Velle	Fren. sch	220	Siemssen & Co	Saigon
Henry Handley,	Labmeyer	Old. bk	475	Wm. Pustau & Co	Laid up
Hongkong,	Lyall	Brit. sh	1176	Gibb, Livingston & Co	
Hongkong,	Sorbe	Fren. bk	460	Order	
	Froedenbe	Siam. sh	500	Chinese	
Island Queen,	Dickson	Brit. bk	439	Jardine, Matheson & Co	

HONGKONG.

Vessel & Captain		Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
Jeddo,	Stephenson	Brit. bk	452	Rozario & Co	
Johanna,	Christiansen	Dan. bg	317	E. Schellhass & Co	
John Masterman,	J. May	Brit. sh	602	Order	F't or Charter
John Bennie,	Goggs	Brit. sh	817	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Joven Thomas,	Campos	Port. bk	453	J. J. dos Remedios	
Julia Ann,	A. Baker	Brit. bk	453	Wm. Pustau & Co	
Kelso,	Black	Brit. bk	676	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Kim-sing-loong,	Schutt	Siam. bk	510	Chinese	
Kwang Foong,	Head	Brit. bk	250	Bourjau, Hubener & Co	Nagasaki
Lancaster,	Forbes	Brit. sh	517	Order	
Laura,	Gearitz	Ham. bk	365	Order	
Lorelei,	Schanck	Ham. sh	893	Order	
Maria Morton,	Morello	Brit. bk	401	Reynvaan Brothers & Co	Saigon
Mary Mildred,	Fine	Brit. sh	360	D. Lapraik	F't or Charter
Matilda,	J. Storm	Brit. bk	224	Lammert, Atkinson & Co	
Medoc,	Rous	Fren. bk	601	Landstein & Co	
Meteor,	Pettersen	Siam. bk	335	Chinese	
Milrose,	H. Bedeford	Brit. bk	290	John Burd & Co	Newchwang
Mont,	M. Pence	Fren. sch	190	Reynvaan Brothers & Co	
Music,	Klein	Brit. sch	445	Aug. Heard & Co	Repairing
Natum,	Garez	Span. bg	201	Reynolds & Co	
Niemen,	Ballard	Brit. bk	570	Russell & Co	F't or Charter
Norah Graeme,	J. Baker	Brit. sh	1001	Adam Scott & Co	F't or Charter
Palais Gallien,	Robert	Fren. bk	789	Reynvaan Brothers & Co	Saigon
Penang,	Patten	Amer. bk	635	Bosman & Co	San Francisco
Perle,	Federsen	Ham. b	442	Bosman & Co	
Pocahontas,	Graves	Amer. sh	991	Order	
President,	Minne	Belg. bk	263	Wm. Pustau & Co	Saigon
Princess Saraphi,	Kofoed	Siam. bk	454	Chinese	
Penguin,	Stoll	Siam. sch	127	Chinese	
Reindeer,	McClelland	Brit. sh	964	Jardine, Matheson & Co	Whampoa
Resolute,	Eugiere	Siam. sh	803	Chinese	
Royal Minstrel,	Andrew	Brit. bk	447	P. & O. S. N. Co	
Runnymede,	Owens	Brit. bk	619	Morgan, Lambert & Co	F't or Charter
Sampan,	Rasmussen	Prus. bk	297	Wm. Pustau & Co	
Samuel Russell,	Lucas	Amer. sh	756	Smith, Archer & Co	
Sarah Maria,	T. Gode	Ham. bk	400	Aug. Heard & Co	San Francisco
Sea Nymph,	Fleming	Brit. bk	461	Landstein & Co	
S. of the Ocean,	Slaughter	Brit. sh	805	Gibb, Livingston & Co	
Stanley,	Doughty	Brit. bk	384	Oxford & Co	Bangkok
St. Vicente Ferreira,	Santos	Port. sch	118	Wm. Pustau & Co	For Sale
Suomi,	Noraberg	Prus. bk	769	Order	
Supply,	E. Conroy	Amer. sh	547	American Consul	
Sydney Eggers,	Richardson	Brit. sh	670	Adam Scott & Co	F't or Charter
T. E. Boyd,	Young	Brit. bk	278	Dent & Co	F't or Charter
Union,	Bowner	Brit. bk	772	Wm. Pustau & Co	
Venilia,	Parey	Brit. sh	674	Alf. Wilkinson & Co	Bombay
Vicksburg,	Scott	Brit. sh	1091	Borneo Co. Limited	
Vier Gazurts,	Otto	Dut. bk	735	Siemssen & Co	
Virgala,	J. Drummond	Brit. sh	1065	Order	
Wm. Mitchell,	Potter	Brit. sh	610	Dent & Co	Nagasaki
Zephyr,		Brit. bk	291	McEwen & Co	Store Ship

RECEIVING VESSELS.

Vessel & Captain		Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
Fort William,	Allmann	Brit. sh	1090	P. & O. S. N. Co	
John Adam,	Buncombe	Brit. bk	318	D. Sassoon Sons & Co	

WHAMPOA.

Vessel & Captain		Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
Benclach,	Thomson	Brit. bk	377	Borneo Co. Limited	Monte Video
Challenge,*	Westlake	Brit. bk	590	Morgan, Lambert & Co	New York
Chin Chin,	Calman	Ham. sch	116	Oxford & Co	Tientsin
Dunmail,	Thompson	Brit. bk	771	Gibb, Livingston & Co	Union Dock
Esmeralda,*	Drewis	Ham. bk	353	Siemssen & Co	Saigon
Mary Nickelson,*	Freebody	Brit. sh	253	Gilman & Co	
Melbreck,*	McTaggart	Brit. sh	871	Smith, Kennedy & Co	London
Nile,	Johnson	Brit. bk	635	Oxford & Co	Laid up
Orianna,	Dirksen	Dut. bk	1158	Dent & Co	
Parsee,*	G. Soule	Amer. bk	510	Bosman & Co	
Peiho,	Holdt	Prus. bk	216	Oxford & Co	Tientsin
Solent,*	Paige	Brit. sh	732	Gibb, Livingston & Co	London
The Cedars,	Stonehouse	Brit. bk	356	Robinson & Co	London
Tientsin,		Brit. sch	106	Adam Scott & Co	Laid up
Valdivia,	Clemens	Brit. sh	593	Jardine, Matheson & Co	London

* To Arrive.

MACAO.

Vessel & Captain		Flag & Rig	Tons	Consignees	Destination
Aurora,	Lindscott	Hal. sh	495	Order	Laid up
Cesar,	J. Nissen	Brit. sh	499	I. M. del Rio	Laid up
Cintra,	A. J. Favacho	Port. bk	352	De Mello	Laid up
Concordia,	Grill	Port. bg	223	Reynolds & Co	Callao
Cristina,	O'Ryan	Brit. sh	577	Adam Scott & Co	
Foo-pang,	M. de Cruz	Chil. sh	111	B. S. Fernandez	Laid up
Gica,	Siemssen	Port. sh	600	M. del Rio	
Lima,	Meinhard	Ita. bk	258	Captain	Laid up
Salatiga,	Rettler	Dut. bk	301	Gibb, Livingston & Co	Laid up
S. Vicente de Paula,	Silva	Port. bk	423	Portario & Co	Laid up
Tremelge,	Landor	Port. bk	871	L. Marquez	

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Arrivals.

July 30, HAPSING, Siam. bq., 312, Stehr, Bangkok, 17th July, General.—CHINESE.
July 30, DUNMAIL, from Whampoa.
July 30, SWORD FISH, Siam sh., 575, Miller, Bangkok, 17th July, General.—CHINESE.
July 30, H.M. g-b. OPOSSUM, Mainwaring, Sowkewan, 28th July.
July 30, JORDEN BRUHM, Dan. sh., 765, Jurgensen, Rangoon, 27th June, Rice.—WM. PUSTAU & Co.
July 31, ORISSA, str., from Whampoa.
The British ship "CALABAR" coming in from the Westward.

Departures.

July 29, BENEFACTOR, for Yokohama.
July 31, CHARLOTT, for Shanghai.
July 31, MELROSE, for Newchwang.
July 31, PENANG, for Saigon.
July 31, BRAGANZA, for Saigon.
July 31, SUWONADA, str., for Shanghai.
July 31, LABOURDONNAIS, str., for Shanghai.
July 31, H.I.F.M.S. Frigate LA GUERRIERE.

Clearances.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, JULY 30TH, 1866.

Dunmail, for Foochow.

Passengers.

None.

Reports.

The Siamese ship Sword Fish, reports having had fine weather all the way till the arrival at Hongkong; July 21, spoke the Dutch barque Pador, from Singapore bound to Chusan, 8 days out.

The Danish ship Jorgen Brun, reports having had Southerly winds to Paracels, thence up the China Sea light East and S.E., winds.

The Siamese barque Hapsing, reports having had variable weather; heavy swell setting from the S.W.

H.M. Gunboat Opossum, reports having overhauled eight junks but could not discover any traces of the vessel concerned in the piratical attack on the Bonaventure.



Auction Sales To-day.

BOWRA & Co.
Household Furnitures.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
Sundry Articles.

NOTICE.

MR. FREDERICK MAJOR, is authorized to sign our firm at this Port per procuration.

ALFRED WILKINSON & Co.

tf 648 Hongkong, 4th April, 1866.

WE have authorized Mr. F. SUENSEN to sign our firm per procuration.

BEHRE & Co.

6m 632 Saigon, 1st March, 1866. Apl.-3

NOTICE.

WE have this day Removed our BUSINESS PREMISES to No. 1, Bay View, opposite the German Club House.

PARKER & Co.

7d 1589 Hongkong, 26th July, 1866.

BUTCHER'S LIVERYSTABLES.

HORSES received on Livery.

Carriages and Horses sold and bought on Commission.

Farriery, under careful supervision.

Carriages and Horses for Hire by the job, hour day, week or month.

Harness and Saddlery repaired and renovated, a stock of London made being always on hand.

Horses broken to saddle or Harness.

(J.B. will be happy to call at the residence of any person requiring his services, on receiving instructions to that effect)

Rear of Murray Barracks, Hongkong.

tf 167 [w.s.]

MANUFACTURES IMPERIALES DES TABACS DE FRANCE.

CONFORMÉMENT au Cahier des Charges daté 12 Août 1864, les soussignés ont été nommés concessionnaires pour la vente en Indo-Chine des Tabacs de la Regie.

A partir du 21 Décembre 1865, le prix pour la vente des dits tabacs à priser, fumer et mâcher, premiere qualité est fixé à $1.40 par Kilogramme pour Singapore et Saigon et $1.50 pour Hongkong.

Des Commissions à livrer pour des quantités quelconques seront prises aux prix ci-dessus indiqués.

ED. RENARD & Cie.
Paris.

a Hongkong chez M. Frédéric Degener, 20, Peel Street.

1122 6m Hongkong, 1st June, 1866.

NOTICE.

COMMERCIAL BILLIARD ROOMS.

THE Undersigned in returning thanks to his Friends and the Public in general for the liberal patronage bestowed upon him, begs to inform all his patrons that he has this day disposed of his business to Mr. FREDERICK SIMONS, and hopes that they will extend their kind patronage upon him as heretofore.

E. J. MANNING.

Hongkong, 1st April, 1866. Apl. 13

IN reference to the above F. SIMONS begs to inform his Friends and the Public in general that he has this day assumed the Proprietorship of the above establishment, and hopes that by care and attention he will merit a share of their kind patronage.

F. SIMONS.

N.B.—Billiard Tables and Cues kept in thorough repair, one first class American Piano in the sitting Room for the use of Visitors. English and American Papers received by every Mail.

F. S.

tf 717 Hongkong 13th April, 1866.

STEAM-TUG "FAME."

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With disconnecting Engines.

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2566 Hongkong, 12th October, 1866.